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CALLS TAFT GOOD MAN GOING WRONG

President a Victim of Environment, Declares Senator Stone

ALLOWS HIMSELF TO BE LED

Missouri Senator Attacks Taft's Veto of the Wool Bill—Calls Tariff Board Elusive—Wilson is Masterful.

Washington, Aug. 12.—"A shining example of a good man going wrong," was the characterization of President Taft made by Senator Stone, of Missouri, in a speech in the Senate today, attacking the President's veto of the Democratic-Progressive wool tariff bill.

Senator Stone credited the President with high motives, but said he had allowed himself to become the victim of "environment."

"The President is a high class man," he said. "His ideals and impulses are naturally good. I believe him to be a patriotic American devoted to the interests of his country and its people. If left to follow the bent of his own inclinations, he would, I think, seek with singleness of purpose to promote the public weal.

"But he is so environed with political exigencies, so bound by the interests to which his party is obligated, that he often allows himself to be overpersuaded. Instead of leading he too often allows himself to be led. He becomes the servant of the special interests instead of the people.

"In short, he becomes the shining example of a good man going wrong."

Senator Stone devoted much of his criticism to "that elusive but potential quantity known as the 'Tariff Board'."

Senator Stone said the President had vetoed the wool bill again "out of a tender consideration for the judgment of five men unknown to fame, whom he had appointed to make an investigation."

"It looks too much as if the President was playing politics," he added. "He is a candidate for re-election and he is beset by numerous embarrassments.

"Governor Woodrow Wilson declares for a sane revision downward in accordance with his party platform and the bull moose is roaring for a radical cut in all the schedules.

"With Wilson to the fore, calm, self-possessed, masterful, marching on triumphantly, and with the wild bull moose roaming and roaring promiscuously, what can a stand-pat candidate do?"

WILL STUDY CONVICTS

Indiana Reformatory Will Try to Cure Mental Deficiencies

Jeffersonville, Mo., August 12.—Psychological study of State convicts, aimed to cure mental deficiencies that led them into ways of crime, will be attempted in the Indiana reformatory, according to an announcement made here tonight by Superintendent David C. Peyton. A laboratory will be established in the reformatory where tests of each prisoner's mentality may be made, after which cures will be attempted, according to the patient's needs.

Superintendent Peyton declares this is a departure in reformatory work. He will have the assistance of R. B. VonKleinsmid, who has for several years held the chair of Education and Psychology in Depauw University. The propaganda, it is announced, has the approval of Governor Marshall. Several well-known phycholgues, it is announced will act as counsel in the work.

COTTON BREAKS $2.50 PER BALE.

Renewal of Heavy Selling Causes Big Drop in Prices.

New York, Aug. 12.—A renewal of heavy general selling in the cotton market today developed a sensational break in prices. Active new crop cotton sold fully $2.50 per bale under the closing prices of Saturday and about $9.50 per bale under the high records made just before the publication of the last government crop report early in the month. The selling orders seemed to come from practically all directions, including heavy offerings from some of the leading spot houses, which were recently credited with having expressed expectations of materially lower prices, while there was renewed liquidation of long accounts, Southern selling and other offerings based on the increasing new crop movement and the reported failure of trade demand to develop below the 12 cent level.

TY COBB IN GAME

Plays Ball Despite Bad Leg, Cold and Knife Wound

Syracuse, N. Y., August 12.—Hughie Jennings and his Detroit Tigers stopped off here on their way to New York and defeated the Syracuse State League club 3 to 1. Ty Cobb played left field, despite the fact that he has a bad leg, is suffering from a hard cold and has a minor, though painful knife wound in his shoulder received in Detroit when he was attacked by three thugs on the way to the train.

Souvenir Dance
Lumina tomorrow night. **

REAR-ADMIRAL OSTERHAUS.

Will Not Retire, as Has Been Reported, Until June, 1913.

CANAL BILL IN CONFERENCE

Fight to Be Made on Free Passage to American Foreign-bound Shipping—Britain Will Demand Arbitration

Washington, August 12.—A determined fight is to be made in the conference on the Panama Canal bill, against the granting of free passage in the canal to American foreign-bound ships. The conference committee had its first meeting today and continued discussion of the measure at a night session.

Senator Brandagee, who opposed free toll provisions in the Senate, is understood to stand with Representative Adamson and Stevens, of the House conferees, in opposing what they consider a violation of treaty rights, and too great a concession to foreign-bound shipping. It is believed, from the preliminary conferences on the measure that the free toll provision for American coastwise shipping will be retained.

Little progress was made in the first session of the conferees toward an agreement on the Bourne amendment to divorce railroads from control of competing steamship lines, and the Reed amendment, prohibiting trust-controlled ships from using the Panama canal. Both Houses have endorsed the plan to prohibit railroad-owned ships from using the canal; but the Bourne and Reed amendments are new matter so far as the House is concerned.

The British government, according to advices from the State Department today, has made no further representations to the United States regarding the proposition to allow American vessels to use the canal free of tolls, since the note of Crage Innes, July 8th, last. It is now awaiting, it is said, the enactment of the legislation into law and the adoption of regulations to put it into effect in order to have a sufficient basis for a more formal protest against what it regards as a clear breach of an existing treaty.

In recognition of the superior right of Great Britain to address the United States government on this subject, by virtue of the existence of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, other European nations and even Japan have refrained from approaching the State Department, notwithstanding that their interest is equal to that of Great Britain, by reason of their right to claim equal treatment for their shipping under the favored nation clauses in existing conventions with the United States.

Officials of this government, however, are said to expect after the signing of the act by the President, that the British charge will be directed to submit to the State Department a formal protest in behalf of his government against what it regards as discrimination against British shipping. This will require an equally formal reply reciting the act itself as a mandate by Congress which the executive department cannot disregard, supported by such argument as the diplomatic bureau can make, to justify the action.

As this will amount to a positive refusal of the British request to treat British shipping on an equality with American, it is probable, in the opinion of government authorities, that the Foreign Office will come forward with a proposition to submit the issue to arbitration, calling attention to the existing British-American arbitration treaty as a basis for the proposition, which move would bring the matter to a real crisis. Should arbitration be adverse to the American position, it would be necessary, it is said, for the State Department to find reasonable ground for a declination of the British overture, without laying itself open to the charge that it had deliberately violated the provisions of the treaty—the charge lodged against it in connection with the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

LAFOLLETTE SAYS MAIL WAS RIFLED

Charges Postoffice Department Officials With Russian Espionage

POSTOFFICE BILL UP TODAY

Senate Decides to Vote on Appropriation Measure This Afternoon—Wisconsin Senator Discusses Gag Rules.

Washington, Aug. 12.—The Senate today, after five hours work on the Postoffice Appropriation bill, reached an agreement to vote on the measure at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Discussion of the bill was enlivened late in the day when Senator LaFollette, speaking on a House provision granting to employes of the postal service the right to organize, deliberately charged officials of the Postoffice Department with rifling his mail in an attempt to delve into an investigation he was making into the Postal Servce.

The Wisconsin Senator declared that his mail had been "subjected to an espionage almost Russian in character," and he showed to the Senators a bundle of letters which he said had been tampered with.

"Absurd," and "ridiculous" are adjectives applied to Senator LaFollette's charges by officials of the Postoffice Department. It is declared positively that if the Senator's mail had been rifled the crime was committed by somebody not connected with the department.

Dr. Charles P. Grandfield, first assistant and, in the temporary absence of Mr. Hitchcock, acting Postmaster General, said:

"We never have heard until now that Senator LaFollette's mail has been tampered with. I think the Senator is quite mistaken when he charged that officials of the Postoffice Department rifled his mail in an attempt to learn the result of an investigation he is making, or for any other purpose. As to the Senator's statement that his mail was subjected 'to an espionage almost Russion in character,' the charge is absurd, as no one in the Postoffice Department has the slightest interest in the replies of the clerks to the Senator's inquiries. All mail addressed to members of Congress in Washington passes out of the hands of the Postoffice Department when it reaches the Senate and House postoffices."

Chief Inspector Robert Sharp was equally certain that Senator LaFollette's charges were unfounded and was emphatic in his denial of them.

"No attempt, of course, ever was made to watch Senator LaFollette's mail or to ascertain the contents of any letter addressed to him or sent out by him," said the inspector.

"Any inspector caught opening a sealed letter not addressed to him would be subjected to the full penalty of the law. In fact, an inspector, having knowledge of the law on the subject, could not in such circumstances, escape a penitentiary sentence."

Senator LaFollette, after making his charges, said that men were removed from the Railway Mail Service "for no other reason than they joined organizations designed to improve labor conditions in the service." He cited several instances, including the case of George W. Nichols, who after 22 years of service in the department, was suspended shortly after he became a candidate for office in the Railway Mail Clerks' Protective Association. The Senator discussed the "gag rules" promulgated by President Roosevelt and President Taft forbidding postoffice employes from carrying their grievances to members of Congress. He had read into the record several letters from mail clerks in response to his circular letters. He asserted that the officials of the department recognized only one organization, the Railway Mail Association, which, he said, was dominated by the officials of the department.

During the day three important provisions of the Postoffice bill were acted upon. The Bourne-Bristow plan for a parcels post system, with a system of graduated charges based on eight zones of distance dividing the country, was placed in the bill as a substitute for the House Parcels Post provision, which outlined a flat charge of 12 cents a pound throughout the country.

A provision in the House bill making available Federal funds to assist the States in good road construction was voted down and an amendment framed by the Senate committee providing for a committee of three Senators and three Representatives to study the question was adopted.

Another amendment written in the bill would compel newspapers using the mails to file with the Postmaster General the names of owners, publishers, editors, stockholders and holders of bonds and mortgages.

Marietta, Ga., August 12.—A monument dedicated to the memory of the late United States Senator A. S. Clay was unveiled here today by Miss Evelyn Clay, an only daughter. The bronze statue rests upon a marble pillar in the center of a large square of marble coping providing sanitary drinking fountains. Congressman W. G. Brantley and Bishop Warren A. Candler delivered addresses.

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ROLLA WELLS.

Recently Elected Democratic Treasurer Who Takes Charge of Work.

THERON E. CATLIN UNSEATED

Republican Representative From Missouri Loses Seat in House to Democratic Opponent—Spent Two Much

Washington, Aug. 12.—Representative Theron E. Catlin, of Missouri, Republican, was unseated tonight as the member of the House of Representatives and his Democratic opponent, who contested the election, Patrick F. Gill, was seated amid wild enthusiasm from the Democratic side. The vote to unseat Catlin, who was charged with violation of the Missouri law governing campaign expenses, was 121 to 71. Gill was seated by a vote of 104 to 79, with 23 voting present.

Mr. Catlin, just before the first roll call, left the seat he had occupied in the center of the Republican side of the House and went to his desk, far in the rear. He lifted the desk lid and, using an adjoining chair as a repository, removed all of his books and papers. He left the chamber with lagging step, stopping only to grasp the outstretched hands of sympathetic friends. Three-quarters of an hour later his successful rival stood before the Speaker's desk and took the solemn oath of office.

The case throughout the seven hours of debate was bitterly fought on both sides.

The charge against Mr. Catlin was that he and his family had spent $10,200 to elect him to Congress when the Missouri law prohibited an expenditure of more than $662. Other charges of fraud were made, all of which Mr. Catlin denied knowledge of. He also denied he knew at the time of any expenditures made by his father and brother.

Washington, August 12.—Secretary Wilson has directed a study by department experts to ascertain what can be done to help trucking conditions in the South. He said today that the inquiry might extend to the sales of fibers, grains and meats.

OUTLINES

Rebel forces under Gen. Luis Mena, bombarded the capital of Nicaragua Sunday morning.

Ed R. McIntyre, of High Point, is said to be the man wanted in connection with the bomb explosion at High Point Saturday.

Senator Stone, of Missouri, in attacking the President's veto of the Democratic wool bill yesterday, declared Mr. Taft was a fine example of a good man going wrong.

Theron E. Catlin, of Missouri, Republican, was last night unseated as a member of the House of Representatives and his Democratic opponent who contested the election, Patrick F. Gill, was seated.

The conference committee on the Panama Canal bill held its first meeting yesterday, at which it became known that a determined fight will be made against the granting of free passage to American foreign-bound ships.

During the debate on the Postoffice bill yesterday, in which the Senate decided to reach a vote this afternoon, Senator LaFollette charged officials of the Postoffice Department with rifling his mail in an attempt to delve into an investigation he was making in the postal service.

Sam Schepps, paymaster of the New York murder gang, who was captured in Hot Springs, Ark., Saturday night, will be held as a witness when he is brought back to New York and is not regarded as being an accomplice in the murder of Herman Rosenthal. District Attorney Whitman has learned that Police Lieut. Becker has a safe deposit vault where he has stored securities.

New York markets: Money on call steady, 2 5-8 to 3 per cent.; ruling rate 2 3-4. Spot cotton closed quiet. Flour steady, with fair jobbing trade. Wheat, spot firm; new red 1.06 1-2 c.i.f. track and No. 2 red 1.08 1-4 f.o.b. afloat to arrive. Corn, spot easy; export 82 f.o.b. afloat. Oats, spot weak. Turpentine easy. Rosin quiet.

SCHEPPS WILL BE HELD AS WITNESS

"Paymaster of the Murder Crew" Not Regarded as an Accomplice

OFFICERS LEAVE TO GET HIM

Sam Won't Talk Till He Gets to New York—Becker Has Deposit Vault for Securities—Jack Sullivan Falls Down.

New York, Aug. 12.—Sam Schepps, alleged "paymaster of the murder crew" that killed Herman Rosenthal, is to be held on his arrival here from Hot Springs, Ark., where he was arrested Saturday, as a material witness and not as one of the accomplices, it was stated by District Attorney Whitman tonight. This form of immunity is conditional, however, upon Schepps' willingness to corroborate the stories of Jack Rose and "Bridgie" Webber, charging that Police Lieut. Charles Becker was the instigator of the murder.

Mr. Whitman does not believe Schepps took any part in carrying out the murder plot, but does think he had knowledge of what was going on and would be able to add links to the chain of evidence against Becker that would help materially in the police officer's conviction.

Neither Rose nor Becker has implicated Schepps in the confessions farther than to say that he acted as paymaster of the murderers and acted as "general handy man" after the murder, while Rose was in hiding. Schepps knew Becker, he said, and heard him give some of the alleged orders "to get" Rosenthal, but was not entrusted with executing them. What Schepps heard is what the district attorney would like to hear also.

The fugitive is expected in New York Thursday in the custody of Assistant District Attorney R. G. Rubin, and Detectives Stewart and Thomas, whom the district attorney sent to Hot Springs today to bring him back. Mr. Whitman telegraphed Acting Mayor Pettit, of Hot Springs, today that these representatives were coming and requested that Schepps, who fears the New York police, be turned over to no other authority.

Bernard Sandler, Schepps' attorney, anxious that Schepps should tell his story to no one but Mr. Whitman, telegraphed Schepps yesterday "not to talk" and today received from him a telegraphic reply promising "to obey instructions."

Meanwhile the district attorney, who returned from his week-end at Manchester, Vt., today has unearthed more interesting facts about Police Lieut. Becker, whose attitude continues to be one of silent defiance. The latest revelation is the fact that Becker has since last December rented a safe deposit vault for the deposit of securities.

The prosecutor at present has no legal right to order the vault opened, but he regarded the fact of its existence of so much importance in connection with the allegations that Becker has grown rich out of gambling graft, that for several days he has had detectives on guard to see that the contents of the vault are not withdrawn. Anyone attempting to open the box will be haled before the prosecutor as a witness in the case and asked to explain the reason for wishing to do so.

"Jack" Sullivan, who on Saturday promised that he would tell his story to Mr. Whitman, failed today to keep his pledge. Whether a visit from his counsel had anything to do with his sudden change of heart could not be learned.

Mr. Whitman said tonight, however, he was not worrying about Sullivan and intimated that he would seek his indictment, whether he decided to tell what he knew or not.

The public prosecutor will tomorrow ask from the grand jury a blanket indictment against six and possibly seven men. They will include Becker, William Shapiro, owner of the "assassination car" and the car's alleged crew, "Gyp the Blood" and his three gang companions. Before the indictments are drawn, however, he expects to have been before the jury as witnesses the westside prison trio, Rose, Webber and Vallon; Richard G. Barter, the notary who witnessed the famous Rosenthal affidavit, which Rose says Becker forced him to make as the price of police protection; Sam Paul, the Eastside gangster and alleged proprietor of disorderly houses; Max Hochstein, proprietor of a notorious hotel, and Martin Engel, a professional bondsman and tenderloin character. The last named trio are to be questioned about police blackmail levied on disorderly houses and of Becker's houses and of Becker's alleged profits.

Although it has been reported that William J. Burns, the detective, has been working on the case ever since the murder, Mr. Whitman said tonight that Burns has been on the case less than two weeks. The detective who is working on the general graft feature of the case will report to the district attorney daily.

Emery R. Buckner, formerly a Western lawyer and now assistant prosecutor under Mr. Whitman, was today appointed counsel of the aldermanic committee which plans to con-

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BRIG.-GEN. TASKER H. BLISS.

Chief Umpire in Command of Army Maneuvers in New England.

ED. R. M'INTYRE MAN WANTED

Sought by Police on Charge of Sending Infernal Machine to Miss Ollie Hoover, of High Point.

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 12.—Police of two States, working under the direction of Chief of Police Ridge, of High Point, joined in an effort to locate Ed R McIntyre, a well-to-do young man of High Point, who is wanted by Guilford county authorities upon a warrant charging the sending of an infernal machine to Miss Ollie Hoover, a pretty and prominently connected young woman of High Point. The package, containing the "deadly" construction of mechanical ingenuity, which had a triplicate arrangement to ignite a high explosive, was misdirected from the Thomasville office, from which it was shipped last December, and in attempting to locate its origin on last Saturday, W. M. Busbee, manager of the High Point express office and his cashier, Alton Morton, touched the fatal spring and a second later were hurled back by a terrific and deafening explosion. They were terribly burned and Manager Busbee now lies in a critical condition in St. Leo's hospital here. It is believed he will probably recover, but that his face and body are marked for life. The developments in the case came today when with a rapidity which vied in startlingness with grave charges epitomized the day's work and developed the fact that the package, while shipped through the Thomasville office, was sent by a High Point man rather than a Thomasville man; that it was addressed to "Ollie Hoover," rather than to "Charlie Hoover," as waybilled by the Thomasville express clerk. Then the admission of Chief Ridge that his men were seeking Ed R. McIntyre as the sender of the package. In rapid order came the information, according to the police, that during last Fall McIntyre's attention to Miss Hoover had been rejected; that he had been warned not to further annoy her; that in turn he had warned her that he "would blow her up with a machine which he had," that secret service men had been successful in an effort to establish authorship by McIntyre of an anonymous and threatening letter directed to Miss Hoover and also an obscene postcard.

Strengthening the early suspicions against McIntyre were his own acts. It was learned by Chief Ridge that within five minutes after the explosion Saturday McIntyre left his place of business. He did not return and officers who started in search of him about nightfall came back empty-handed. He was traced to Greensboro and to Asheville, it being established that he spent a part of Sunday in the latter city at the home of a sister. The Asheville police were put on the case just a trifle too late, but there was little difficulty in tracing McIntyre back as far as Barber Junction. At that place all trace was lost and Chief Ridge admitted last night that his man had apparently outdodged his sleuths for the time being. The belief is that McIntyre is trying to make his way to a brother at Birmingham. His way, however, will be perilous, for police in every North and South Carolina city are watching trains under orders to take off a man bearing McIntyre's description. This has been wired broadcast over the two States and into Alabama.

Miss Hoover is a daughter of Mrs. Howard Maxwell, of High Point, and is connected with a prominent State family. She is a niece of United States Court Clerk J. M. Millikan.

McIntyre is 29 years of age, smooth shaven, light complexion and hair, and blue eyes. He stands five feet, eight inches. He is a son of P. C. McIntyre, a wealthy butcher and vaudeville house manager.

Excitement in Thomasville.

Thomasville, N. C., Aug. 12.—There

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ZAPATISTAS KILL WHOLE TRAINLOAD

Horribly Slaughter 36 Soldiers and More Than 20 Passengers

CHOP OFF WOMEN'S FINGERS

Wounded Pleading for Their Lives Struck Down—Rebel Leader Made No Effort to Restrain Terrible Butchery

Mexico City, August 12.—Thirty-six soldiers and more than twenty passengers were slaughtered by Zapatistas in a canyon one kilometer north of Ticuman, 110 miles southeast of Mexico City yesterday when a passenger train southbound from this city was attacked from ambush. Only meagre details had reached this city tonight. So far as known only a part of the train crew escaped.

The first news of the assault was sent to Mexico City by Conductor Marin and Collector Dominguez, who although wounded, had managed to make their way to Yautepec, 12 miles away. They were forced to steal through the Zapatistas' lines and did not arrive at the telegraph station until this afternoon. After a murderous rifle fire had ceased the rebels swarmed down the hillside and set fire to the three cars composing the train. A few of the wounded had crawled out on to the right-of-way, thus escaping the fate of those unable to leave the cars who were burned. According to reports, the leader of the rebels made absolutely no effort to restrain his men from acts of brutality. The wounded, pleading for their lives, were struck down without pity and even looting was held in abeyance until the slaughter was complete.

No satisfied with robbing their victims in an ordinary manner the fingers of men and women were chopped off with machetes that rings they wore might be more quickly obtained. Ornaments were torn from ears of women and their bodies were otherwise mutilated.

Among the passengers were two newspaper men and they were among those killed. They were on their way to interview Emiliano Zapata, the chief of the rebels. One of these, H. L. Strauss, a native of Uruguay and consular agent of his country in this city, was employed at one time on the New York Herald. He was making this trip to see Zapata as a representative of El Imparcial.

The other correspondent was Ignacio Horraras, of El Pais. The ill-fated train left Mexico City yesterday morning. Most of the passengers belonged to the farmer and lower classes. The soldiers who had been detailed to act as a guard were from the 11th battalion, commanded by Lieutenant Reynosa.

By costly experience the troops had learned to be on the alert but from the time they left the National capital not the least hostility had been encountered until the train ran into the canyon. Here a rail had been loosened and as the locomotive left the track a volley of rifle shots were poured into the train with deadly effect. It was centered on the coach in which most of the soldiers were riding, but soon became general, the rebels apparently not caring whether they distinguished passengers from Federal soldiers. Lieutenant Reynosas' order to reply to the fire was carried out by the entrapped soldiers, notwithstanding the advantage which the hillsides gave the rebels. Pluckily every man of the guard fought until silenced. A few of the passengers, securing guns from the fallen soldiers, assisted in the defense, but the unequal battel lasted only a short time.

Acting upon information brought to them by the fugitives members of the train crew, authorities of Yuatepre notified those at Cuautla who sent a punitive expedition from there late today. Another train was sent from the north towards the scene of the massacre to recover the bodies and give aid to any wounded who might be found.

RAT CATCHERS ARRIVE

Will Play Pied Piper Engagement In New Orleans

New Orleans, La., August 12.—The trio of rat catchers from San Francisco ordered here by the Federal health authorities, arrived yesterday to play the leading roles in the pied piper performance. Edward Ross, who is captain of the team, says that he has been catching rats in California for 20 years. They expect to work with the local rat catchers under the direction of Dr. John H. White, of the United States marine hospital service.

The destruction of rats that carry the bubonic plague which has so far been confined chiefly to the river front but is gradually being extended into the business and residential sections.

the greatest playground year in the history of New York, according to Park Commissioner Stever. Figures for the seven months of 1912 show that 2,859,000 children have been in attendance in the park play centers in Manhattan and Richmond. This attendance is a net gain of 1,300,000 over the same months in 1911.

SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Brooklyn, 3; Pittsburg, 5.
At Philadelphia, 1; Cincinnati, 2.
At New York, 6; St. Louis, 8.
At Boston, 7; Chicago, 10.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
New York	73	29	.716
Chicago	67	36	.651
Pittsburg	60	40	.600
Philadelphia	50	49	.505
Cincinnati	48	57	.457
St. Louis	47	58	.448
Brooklyn	38	67	.362
Boston	28	74	.275

New York, Aug. 12.—The New York National League club raised its 1911 pennant at the Polo Grounds today, but it failed to bring any luck, as St. Louis won the day's game by 8 to 6. A parade preceded the game and John Purroy Mitchell, president of the board of aldermen, officiated at the flag raising ceremonies.

Ames was knocked out of the box in two innings, while Mathewson allowed St. Louis the winning run after New York had tied the score in the fourth. Harmon was easy for the champions, but they could do nothing with Sallee, only one scratch hit being made off him in the last five innings.

St. Louis .....420 010 010—8 17 2
New York .....120 300 000—6 10 6

Harmon, Sallee and Wingo; Ames, Mathewson and Meyers; time 2:05; umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Boston, Aug. 12.—Chicago won another hard hitting contest from Boston today 10 to 7. Loose fielding by the Braves netted three Chicago runs in the ninth. Hess pitched good ball and should have won.

Boston .....141 100 000— 7 12 3
Chicago .....402 001 003—10 15 2

Donnelly, Hess and Rariden; Lavender, Smith and Needham and Cotter; time 2:15; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Philadelphia, Aug. 12.—Cincinnati won a pitchers' battle between Fromme and Rixey here today 2 to 1, the latter weakening in the eighth and ninth innings. In the ninth, with men on third and second and one out, Alexander went in to pitch, and Phelan's sacrifice fly scored Hoblitzel with the winning run.

Cincinnati .....000 000 011—2 8 2
Philadelphia ....000 000 100—1 5 0

Fromme and McLean; Rixey, Alexander and Killifer; time 1:50; umpires Owen and Brennan.

Brooklyn, Aug. 12.—Rucker gave out in the seventh inning today when Pittsburg found him for five hits and four runs. Two stops and throws by Cutshaw and the fine work of Wagner at short, including a one-hand catch, were features. Wheat hit over the right field fence in the eighth with Daubert on first.

Pittsburg .....010 000 400—5 9 3
Brooklyn .....000 100 020—3 6 1

Adams and Gibson; Rucker and O'Miller; time 1:40; umpires Klem and Orth.

American Association

At Louisville 2; St. Paul 0.
At Columbus 2; Minneapolis 0.
At Milwaukee 2; Toledo 0.
At Indianapolis 2; Kansas City 1 (13 innings.)

Southern League

At Montgomery 2; Nashville 1.
At New Orleans 10; Atlanta 4.
At Mobile 1; Chattanooga 3.
2nd: Mobile 2; Chattanooga 1.
At Birmingham 4; Memphis 1.
2nd: Birmingham 1; Memphis 2.

South Atlantic League

At Macon 0; Columbia 4.
At Savannah 2; Jacksonville 1. (10 innings.)
At Albany 1; Columbus 3.

Carolina Association

At Charlotte 6; Winston-Salem 5.
At Greensboro 11; Spartanburg 6.
At Greenville 1; Anderson 3.

Virginia League

At Roanoke 3; Richmond 3. (16 innings, darkness).
At Portsmouth 2; Petersburg 6.
At Newport News 3; Norfolk 2.

Appalachian League

At Asheville 3; Cleveland 4.
At Bristol-Knoxville (forfeited to Bristol, failure Knoxville to arrive).

International League

At Baltimore 8; Buffalo 7.
2nd: Baltimore 4; Buffalo 3.
At Providence 1; Toronto 6.
2nd: Providence 2; Toronto 4. (5 innings).

SAFE CRACKER ARRESTED

Man Wanted In Many Cities Taken While Bolwing Open Safe.

Chicago, August 12. — Herman Deihm, who was arrested in Sandusky, Ohio, last Friday night, while attempting to blow open a safe, and who is said by the police to be wanted in various cities for a dozen or more crimes, will be brought to this city and tried for the murder of Raymond Corbett, a chauffeur killed January 1st, 1912.

Deihm was identified in Sandusky by detectives, who for weeks had been following Kitty Short, alias Agnes Drew. When the woman visited Diehm in jail shortly after his arrest the police were able to identify

According to the police, the man is wanted in the following cities:

In Chicago for the murder of Raymond Corbett, January 1st, 1912.

In Louisville for the $10,000 robbery of the Rogers & Krull jewelry store.

In Richmond, Va., for the robbery of postoffice of $10,000.

In Pittsburg for numerous safe burglaries.

He is said to have been the confederate of Eddie Fay and "Little Dick" Harris in the Richmond postoffice robbery, according to United States secret service men, who have been on his trail for more than a year.

Flying Men Fall

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Cleveland, 3; Chicago, 1.

Sunday Games.

At Detroit, 4; Boston, 2.
At Cleveland, 8; New York, 3.
At St. Louis, 2; Washington, 3.
At Chicago, 6; Philadelphia, 9.
Second: Chicago, 1; Philadelphia, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	73	34	.682
Washington	66	42	.611
Philadelphia	63	43	.594
Chicago	52	54	.491
Detroit	54	55	.495
Cleveland	51	56	.477
St. Louis	35	71	.330
New York	32	71	.311

Cleveland, Aug. 12.—Cleveland defeated Chicago today 3 to 1, bunching hits off Walsh in the fourth. Baker's single drove in the last two.

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Chicago .....000 001 000—1 9 0

Kahler and O'Neil; Walsh and Kuhn; time 1:45; umpires Egan and Sheridan.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.

Results Yesterday.

At Charlotte, 6; Winston-Salem, 5.
At Greensboro, 11; Spartanburg, 6.
At Greenville, 1; Anderson, 3.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Anderson	57	33	.633
Charlotte	53	37	.590
Winston-Salem	52	41	.559
Spartanburg	42	49	.462
Greensboro	40	51	.440
Greenville	30	63	.323

INTIMATES FIXED RACE.

President of Cubs Charge St. Louis With Helping Giants.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—In a statement issued today, Charles W. Murphy, president of the Chicago club of the National League, charged that the New York team would not win the National League pennant "without undue assistance from other teams."

The statement was issued in accordance with a dispatch sent from New York Saturday which stated that Roger Bresnahan, manager of the St. Louis club in the National League, was interested in a world's tour planned for the New York Club, providing the "Giants" won the championship. In his statement, Mr. Murphy says in part:

"I am surprised to see Bresnahan's name connected with such an enterprise. It looked at first like a simple and harmless plan to pick up a little easy money and so far as I know there has been no opposition to it.

"But when they incorporate, becoming a stock selling possibility and use the name of such men as Bresnahan—manager of that team that can help or hurt us a whole lot in the present pennant race—the matter takes an entirely different aspect.

"As a matter of fact, the Giants haven't won the race and I don't think they will win it—without the undue assistance from other teams.

"I want to see the Cardinals play the game against the Giants and play it right up to the hilt. I can hardly believe that Bresnahan would allow himself to be drawn into a financial scheme whose success might depend entirely on his own team losing and a rival team winning. It is contrary to all traditions of baseball.

"The race in the National League must be run out strictly on its merits. Not even a suspicion can be permitted to creep into the situation right now."

New York, August 12.—Roger Bresnahan, manager of the St. Louis National League club, had left the city at the time of the arrival of the Chicago dispatch in which Charles W. Murphy, president of the Chicago club, was quoted in criticism of Bresnahan's reported interest in a world tour of the New York Giants and All-American League stars. Bresnahan's connection with the plan is said here to be only in a way of a prospective manager of the All-American team.

In baseball circles Mr. Murphy's declaration that the New York team would not win the National League pennant "without undue assistance from other teams," was read with surprise. It was pointed out that Bresnahan's club had been playing the fastest kind of ball against the Giants, having won five out of the seven recent games between the two clubs. It is understood that the world tour, for which a managing company was incorporated at Albany last week, will be undertaken regardless of whether the Giants win either the league or world's pennant.

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DEADLY GERMS IN TROUGHS.

Thousands of Horses Killed by Diseases Contracted While Watering.

New York, Aug. 12.—"Now it is the common drinking cup," for horses that must be done away with. An investigation by the bureau of municipal research here shows that of the 9,600 horses that died in Manhattan last year from glanders and other communicable diseases, a large portion imbibed the germs from the watering trough.

It is the opinion of those interested in the problem that all troughs should be abolished. It is said that the New York health department will forbid the further erection of watering troughs of any description, and that their place will be supplied by draw hydrants.

..Theatrical..

The Grand Theatre packed 'em in yesterday in spite of the hot weather, for everybody knew that the Grand auditorium was as cool as a cucumber and that every comfort and convenience was provided. For five cents no more in the amusement line can be had anywhere in the world.

For today the topliner is "The Lord and the Peasant", an Edison, that tells the story of a tragedy that took place at Glenwood. The theme is intensely dramatic and replete with romantic and pathetic episodes. It is bound to hold one's attention and cause deep heart throbs at its close for the tragic fate of the two fond lovers. In other words, this picture is a tragic tale with tragic ending excellently played and illustrated.

The other feature film for today is a Vitagraph entitled the "Cross Roads". An old Quaker farmer and his good wife Phoebe find themselves in the clutches of a crafty lawyer who threatens to sell them out of house and home unless they give ti him their only daughter in marriage. How the old couple manages to circumvent the shyster and how justice and right finally prevails, makes up one of the most interesting pictures ever shown at the Grand.

These two and still a third will be the offering today and the public is asked not to forget that the admission is only five cents, day and night.

Bik Week at Bijou

It was a big start, a great big start, both artistically and financially, the Bijou made yesterday of its new week. The bill offered yesterday was one of the greatest that has ever delighted the vision of Wilmington amusement lovers, and a jammed theatre, afternoon and night, strongly attested to the excellence of the bill by warm comments of praise.

Today the Bijou has an equally as fine bill and one that should not be missed. Of course, its delightfully cool at the Bijou these days, because the Bijou boasts of its solid comfort ways, and it has a right to. It is also proud of the fact that its price of admission has never been and never will be but 5 cents.

A strong detective story is one of today's topliner, "The Detective's Conscience." It is a story of moonshiners, with a detective and a young woman of the State of Texas as the leading character. It is one of the most virile photoplays ever manufactured, and it throbs with excitement. The fight in the hut between the moonshiner and the detective is indeed thrilling, while the sight of the stills is most interesting.

Another star film for today is of stageland, which is always as fascinating subject. This film is especially so, and its plot is novel. It is not humorous, but highly dramatic, and the scene of the burning theatre, when a "super" rescues the star—his own wife—is a graphic piece of business and will thrill all. The story told is one beautiful in nature and will reach every heart. It is called "The Music Hall Singer." The other films for today are equally as fine, and will furnish lots of pleasure.

REBEL BOMBARDMENT.

Nicaraguan Capital Shelled Sunday Morning—Many Wounded.

Managua, Nicaragua, Aug. 12.—The combined rebel forces under Gen. Luis Mena, the Secretary of War recently deposed by President Diaz and Gen. Zeledon, one time war secretary in the cabinet of former President Zelaya, began a bombardment of the Nicaraguan capital at 6 o'clock Sunday morning.

For several hours the attacking guns were out of range and the shells fell short of the city. At noon, however, the rebel pieces were advanced and shrapnel shells burst frequently over the city proper. Several women and children were wounded by bullets from the exploding missiles.

When the bombardment became general, the government troops replied to the attack with the guns on Loma Hill, the fortress defending the city, and the firing continued heavily all afternoon. At 5 o'clock the rebels made a fierce onslaught on the penitentiary, but after a sharp engagement they were driven back. Three hours later the attacking force moved around to the eastern side of the capital and directed its fire on the government troops, defending that portion of the city, but was again repelled.

The bombardment was begun in violation of the armistice arranged by the opposing armies of Saturday and despite protests made by the American minister, George Weitzel, dean of the diplomatic corps, and by Capt. Warren J. Terhune, commander of the United States gunboat Annapolis, now stationed off Corinto and from which vessel a detachment of blue jackets and marines were dispatched to this city to protect the lives and property of Americans.

The National flags of the members of the diplomatic corps and the foreign consuls, as well as those of foreign residents, are flying over their respective dwellings and business houses.

When it became known that the rebels were earnest in their announced intention of bombarding the city, the government issued a proclamation warning the people to leave the capital. Many of the inhabitants heeded this advice and impressed into service all available means of transportation to depart.

President Diaz is relying on the support of the United States in his effort to withstand the attack of the revolutionaries and to maintain control of the government.

Iowa City, Iowa, August 12.—The youngest mother recorded in Iowa medical history is an 11-year-old woman from near Devenport who gave birth to a healthy 8 1-2-pound child at the University hospital today. The hospital authorities did not make public the girl's name.

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MONTREAT MEETING.

Stockholders of Association in Session. Election of Officers.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Montreat, N. C., Aug. 10.—An important meeting of the stockholders of the Mountain Retreat Association has just been held at Montreat, at which time much important business was transacted, the most important item being the election of the officers of the association for the coming year. The reports of Rev. R. C. Anderson, president of the association, and of F. L. Jackson, secretary and treasurer, showed the work of the association to be progressing in a satisfactory manner and showed that Montreat is this year enjoying that which is decidedly the most successful season in the history of the association.

Mr. Anderson has just completed his first year as president of the association. During this time he has traveled much in the interest of the association and has spoken in that interest in many parts of the Church. As the result of his work, additional stock has been taken in the association and lots have been sold to individuals for the erection of Summer homes at Montreat. Mr. Anderson reported growing interest throughout the territory of the Southern Presbyterian church in Montreat as the Summer Assembly of the church. He was re-elected president for another year.

Since the time of the beginning of the Mountain Retreat Association, Judge J. D. Murphy, of Asheville, has been one of its most ardent supporters and has given to its development, influence and work, that which has been of great value. He was president of the association until one year ago, when, on account of the increase of his legal duties, he resigned that office. He was at that time elected vice president of the association, and has been re-elected to that office for another year.

During the past five years no man has been so closely identified with Montreat and with the entire work of the Mountain Retreat Association, as is true of F. L. Jackson, who has been re-elected secretary and treasurer of the association, which office he has held for the past several years, and the many duties of which he has discharged with such promptness and such entire satisfaction. Mr. Jackson is a young man who possesses special gifts as a successful business man, and these gifts, together with the pleasing personality which is his and which is an invaluable asset in every calling in life, would render him successful in any business in which he might engage. He has given conscientious care and personal effort to every detail in the development of Montreat, and in the success which Montreat has attained, that care and effort have contributed a large part.

Plans were discussed and set in motion at this meeting of the stockholders which will aid much in the development of Montreat during the coming year. Announcement was made also that a large number of cottages will be erected here before the opening of the season of next year.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Permission to erect a memorial to Major Archibald W. Butt and Francis Davis Millet, victims of the Titanic disaster, on the public grounds in the capital is granted by a resolution passed by the Senate today. The measure carries no appropriation and it is expected that the memorial will be built by public subscription. The resolution now goes to the House.

Savannah, Ga., August 12. — The season's first bale of sea island cotton was sold at auction at the Savannah Cotton Exchange today and brought 25 1-2 cents a pound. It was grown by J. T. Price, Altchua county, Florida, and is four days earlier than last year's first bale, which was grown in Georgia.

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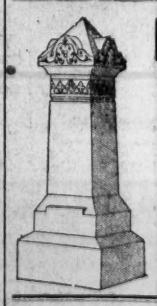

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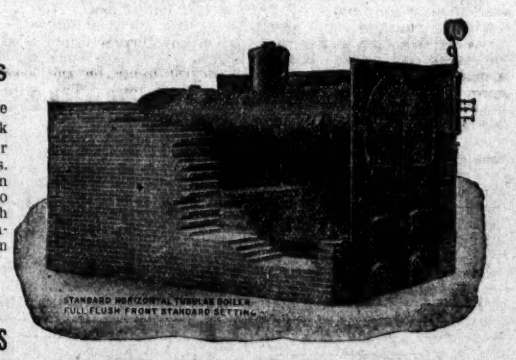

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Convicts Still at Large—Gen. Leinster's Condition—Several Charters Issued — Hookworm Campaign

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 12.—The State penitentiary authorities are still looking for the three cook convicts, Frank Roberts, of Asheville; Green McAdoo, of Guilford, and Ed Womack, of Lee county, with no trace of them found since their invasion of the home of a negro in West Raleigh soon after their escape to take plain clothes so they could get rid of their convict stripes. The negro brought here Sunday from Holly Springs suspected of being Green McAdoo proved not to be the escaped convict. He is held for breaking into two houses in the Holly Springs section and gives his name as Will Harris.

News from the bedside of Gen. R. L. Leinster, adjutant general of the North Carolina National Guard, who was stricken with paralysis in Wilmington Saturday, is that there was no material change in his condition this morning. His entire left side is paralyzed, but as yet his head is not involved in the affliction and his speech is very slightly affected. His condition is very serious but the fact that his general health has been very good and that he is only 36 years old makes the prospect for recovery very hopeful.

A. S. Brower, of Concord, arrived here today to assume his duties as loan clerk, succeeding Mr. C. H. Mebane, in the State Department of Education. Mr. Brower will have charge of the general statistical work in the department of education. He is a young man of fine ability and equipment. He graduated from Trinity College last June.

The following charters for new corporations were granted today:

The North Carolina State Optical Society, Inc., of Raleigh, incorporators, Frank M. Jolly, Nathan Rosenthal, Durham; J. W. Taylor, Greensboro, and others, for bringing about higher standard of education and training for practitioners of Optometry and general improvement of the profession.

The Southern Christian Publishing Co., Elon College, capital $100,000 authorized and $2,500 subscribed by J. O. Atkinson, Elon College, and Chas. A. Hines, Greensboro.

The Norlina Warehouse and Gin Co., of Norlina, capital $5,000 by H. M. Terrell and others.

The Bullock-Brinkley Mercantile Co., Henderson, capital $15,000 by T. B. Bullock and others. The E. A. Smith Manufacturing Co., Charlotte, changes home office to Rhodess, N. C.

The steady progress of the campaign for the eradication of hookworm disease in North Carolina under the leadership of Dr. Jno. A. Ferrell, secretary in charge of this work, is indicated by the fact that Buncombe, Cleveland, McDowell, Scotland and Yancey counties have just voted the appropriations of funds necessary to have the State and county co-operative dispensary campaign for the treatment of patients in these counties, each county appropriating $250 toward the expense of this work. There are now 49 counties that have provided for campaigns. Dr. Ferrell has added Dr. W. P. Jacocks to his staff of assistant district directors so that it is now posible to carry on campaigns in six counties simultaneously. It is a notable fact that the last quarterly review of the Hookworm Commission gives North Carolina first place in the work of accomplishing the eradication of hookworm disease up to June 30th. To this date 73,658 people had been treated, infection surveys made in 38 counties and sanitary surveys in 54 counties.

This week's issue of the Insurance Herald contains a statement on the part of the editor of the paper that no one connected with the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co., had anything to do with the publication of the article in The Herald about Raleigh's lack of support having had anything to do with the removal of the Jefferson Standard from Raleigh to Greensboro. There is to be a meeting of the board of directors of The Jefferson Tuesday of this week when there will be a general shake-up in the officers of the company due to the resignation of Joseph G. Brown as president; Dr. Albert Anderson as medical director; Eugene Armbruster as treasurer, and C. W. Campbell as actuary.

Raleigh's first full-fledged apartment house is to come through the transformation of the Hotel Raleigh, Howell Cobb, proprietor. He has just reached the conclusion that Raleigh's hotel facilities are somewhat beyond the demands of the city at this time and will have The Raleigh changed to apartments by October 1st. There are 115 rooms and the apartments will be in housekeeping suits of three to six rooms. There will be kitchen and cafe on the top floor for those tenants who do not have their own kitchen.

WAKE REPUBLICANS

Taft Wing of Party Calls County Convention at Raleigh

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 12.—Declaring their allegiance to the Chicago Taft Republican platform and urging all patriotic citizens to join in heartily, supporting the Republican ticket, "thereby saving the nation from the calamity of a Democratic National administration and vouchsafing a continuation of the prosperity our people enjoy," the Wake Republican executive committee issued this afternoon a call for a county convention to meet here August 29th, to name delegates to the State convention in Charlotte, September 4th. William J. Andrews, son of Col. A. B. Andrews, vice president of the Southern Railway, is county chairman. The Bull Moose faction of the party under the leadership of Lester F. Butler, brother of ex-Senator Marion Butler, have called their county convention for August 29th.

"The Lord and the Peasant."

A tragedy that took place at Glenwood Keep. At the Grand Theatre today. **

Souvenir Dance
Lumina tomorrow night. **

ASHEVILLE LADY DEAD

Daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. D. Murphy Dies After Operation

Asheville, N. C., August 10.—The many friends of the family throughout the eastern section of the State will regret exceedingly to hear of the death of Miss Elizabeth Murphy, only daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. D. Murphy, of this city, which occurred this morning at the Meriweather Hospital, where she was operated on last Tuesday night for appendicitis by Drs. Meriweather and Purefoy. To all appearances, the operation was highly successful. Indeed her condition was such as to warrant the belief that her recovery was only a matter of a few days. Yesterday afternoon, however, toxemia set in and the patient's temperature rose rapidly. At midnight last night Miss Murphy responded somewhat to heroic efforts of the attending physicians but later she gradually sank, the end coming at 1:05.

Miss Murphy long enjoyed popular favor in the younger social circles of the city. She was a young lady of unusual charm and rare attainments. She was a graduate of the Peace Institute, at Raleigh, and died in her twenty-first year. She was born at Greenville, N. C., in 1892 and came to this city with her parents in 1903.

Two weeks ago she returned from a vacation at Morehead City, where she was accorded much social recognition. Her friends throughout the city were greatly shocked last night to hear of her critical condition and much sympathy was expressed for her parents and young brother who survive her. The funeral, arrangements for which will be announced later, will be held from the residence on Montford avenue.

TY COBB STABBED

Star Ball Player Attacked by Thugs—Injury Slight

Syracuse, N. Y., August 12.—Ty Cobb, the Detroit fielder, who was attacked and stabbed by a gang of ruffians in Detroit last night, played in an exhibition game here this afternoon.

Cobb said this afternoon that the wound was little more than a scratch on his shoulder and would not in any way hinder his playing.

He left with the team tonight and will play in the New York series.

Cobb was driving his automobile to the station accompanied by his wife when three assailants appeared from behind a wooden building at the corner of Trumbuss and Bagg streets, and ordered the car to stop. The men were partly under the influence of liquor and when the machine came to a stop Cobb jumped from the machine and began to argue with the men. The trio then demanded money from the ball player and with the demand all three made a lunge at Cobb. Cobb attacked the trio and began a battle royal. One man was knocked down with a blow on the chin and then one of the others began to run, while the third one grabbed Cobb around the neck and the pair clinched. While the pair were wrestling about the thug pulled a knife and inflicted a wound in Cobb's back. Cobb finally shook off the assailant before he could cause any further injury. Cobb was treated by Dr. Van Lengen at the Yates Hotel today on the arrival of the Detroit team. Two stitches had to be taken.

Cobb tried to keep the matter quiet and would not discuss the attack.

WOMAN SAVES THREE

Swimming Instructor Rescues Man and Two Boys

New York, August 12.—Mamie Ramsperger, 25 years old, swimming instructor in the woman's section of a public bath on the East river front, saved a man and two little boys from drowning today while hundreds cheered her.

A young man in trying to rescue two lads who had fallen from a float which had drifted out into the river, was himself overcome and sank. Miss Ramsperger jumped into the tide-swept river and reaching the place where the man had sunk, dived and finally reached him. She swam to the float with him and having got him on it turned to the two boys, one of whom had already gone down.

The lad who had sank came to the surface and she secured both him and his companion who was struggling nearby. Then battling against the tide and waves she swam with the boys, one of whom had fainted, until a rowboat reached her. Then she lost her hold on one boy and he sank, but she dived and got him again. One of the boys and the man are in a hospital in a serious condition.

There were five drownings here today and the same number yesterday.

HARNETT CONVENTION

Democrats Meet and Nominate Officers—Greatest Harmony

(Special Star Telegram.)

Dunn, N. C., August 12.—The Democrats of Harnett met in convention today at Lillington and named E. F. Young, of Dunn, for Legislature; Allen M. Shaw, of Lillington, for Register of Deeds; I. W. Smith, of Duke, for sheriff; D. B. Stewart, of Broadway, for treasurer; J. H. Williams, of Linden; B. F. Williams, of Angier; P. F. Hope, of Coats; T. A. Harrington, of Harrington; and M. J. Senter, Kipling, for board of commissioners. The convention was large and enthusiastic. Mr. John M. Hodges, of Linden, was made chairman. Messrs. J. P. Pittman, of Dunn, and J. E. Ligon, of Lillington, secretaries. The convention was all in good humor. This entire ticket will be elected.

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Lumina tomorrow night. **

Freckled Girls

It is an absolute fact, that one 50 cent jar of WILSON'S FRECKLE CREAM will either remove your freckles or cause them to fade and that two jars will even in the most severe cases completely cure them. We are willing to personally guarantee this and to return your money without argument if your complexion is not fully restored to its natural beauty. WILSON'S FRECKLE CREAM is fine, fragrant and absolutely harmless. Will not make hair grow but will positively remove TAN, PIMPLES and FRECKLES. Come in today and try it. The jars are large and results absolutely certain. Sent by mail if desired. Price 50c. Mammoth jars $1.00. WILSON'S FAIR SKIN SOAP 25c. For sale by

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GROWTH OF JUNIOR ORDER.

Total of 321 Councils in State—New Ones for Year, 28.

Kinston-Salem, Aug. 10.—Secretary Sam F. Vance, of this city, of the State council, Jr. O. U. A. M., has completed his annual report to be submitted to the meeting of the order in Raleigh August 20th.

The report shows that 282 councils were reported last year. Since that time 28 councils have been instituted and 11 have been reinstated, making a total of 321. Since the last report two councils have surrendered their charters, three have consolidated and eight are liable to suspension for failure to pay their per capita tax, making a total of 13. This leaves a total of 308 councils that have their taxes paid, which is a net gain over last year of 26 councils.

Number of contributing members June 30, 1911, 25,604; number of honorary members June 30, 1911, 1,118; total members June 30, 1911, 26,722; number of contributing members June 30, 1912, 26,824; number of honorary members June 30, 1912, 1,083; total, 27,907; gain in members over last year, 1,285.

Reports from the subordinate councils of the State show the following receipts and disbursements for the year:

Receipts—Received for initiation, $12,887.36; received for weekly dues, $184,281.26; received from all other sources $68,084.39; total $265,253.01.

Disbursements—Paid in sick benefits, $31,164.01; paid death benefits, $64,245.95; paid funeral benefit assessments, $95,860.59; paid State council per capita tax, $15,951.75; paid for other purposes, $58,057.14; total, $265,299.44.

Cash in hands of treasurers and trustees, $66,783.55; value of council property, real and personal, $119,229.96; total worth of councils, $186,013.51.

Received for per capita tax during last year, $15,951.75; received for fines during last year, $117.15; received for cards during last year, $14.25; received for supplies last year, including defunct councils, $497.90; received on account of interest and collateral on notes, $2,173.08; received for charter fees last year, $700; total, $19,514.13.

Paid to George V. Fulp, State treasurer, $19,514.13.

Secretary Vance takes up the condition of the order in each county, showing the number of councils and the number of members compared with last year. Some show gains, while others show losses.

The Herald does not propose to vote for Mr. Craig and may scratch some other names on the ticket. Still according to the contentions of some it is eligible to vote in the Senatorial primary, although it does not think so. —Durham Herald, (Ind.)

WOMAN SICK TWELVE YEARS

Wants Other Women to Know How She Was Finally Restored to Health.

Louisiana, Mo.:—"I think a woman naturally dislikes to make her troubles known to the public, but complete restoration to health means so much to me that I cannot keep from telling mine for the sake of other suffering women.

"I had been sick about twelve years, and had eleven doctors. I had dragging down pains, pains at monthly periods, bilious spells, and was getting worse all the time. I would hardly get over one spell when I would be sick again. No tongue can tell what I suffered from cramps, and at times I could hardly walk. The doctors said I might die at one of those times, but I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got better right away. Your valuable medicine is worth more than mountains of gold to suffering women."—Mrs. BERTHA MUFF, 503 N. 4th Street, Louisiana, Mo.

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If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

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When the blood becomes infected with any unhealthy humor the effect is shown by some definitely marked disorder like Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum, etc. Humors get into the blood usually because of an inactive condition of the system. Those members whose duty it is to expel all refuse matter do not properly perform their work, and an unhealthy accumulation is absorbed into the blood. Then instead of performing its natural function of nourishing the skin the circulation irritates and inflames it because of its impure condition. A thorough cleansing of the blood is the only certain cure for any skin disease; external applications can only give temporary relief. S.S.S. goes into the circulation and drives all humors from the blood, and in this way makes a permanent and complete cure in every form of skin trouble. S. S. S. supplies the blood with the nutritive qualities necessary to sustain the skin and preserve its natural texture and perfect appearance. S. S. S. cures Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, and all other skin eruptions or diseases. Book on Skin Diseases and medical advice free.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Aug. 7th, 1912. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford Through Pullman Parlor Car Service between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
N. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (!), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62. 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 43, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57 * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58. * 8:15 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect June 1st, 1912.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M.	6:05 A. M. and every half hour until 11:45 P.M.
12:00 P.M.	
* 6:10 P.M.	

* Business Men's Express daily except Saturday and Sunday stops only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:15 P.M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
7:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M.	7:45 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P.M.
12:00 P.M.	

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

Freight depot open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

Express trains stop only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

TELEPHONE 667

for information about train movements and all matters connected with transportation department.

W.B. & S. R. R.

Schedule in Effect Thursday, Aug. 1st 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*3:15 Lv.	Wilmington	Ar. 8:15
4:05 "	Town Creek	" 7:20
4:20 "	Bolivia	" 7:05
4:55 Ar.	Southport	Lv. 6:30

* Daily, except Sunday.

Special train operated Sunday only, leaving Southport, 6:30 A. M., arriving Wilmington, 8:15 A. M. Returning, leave Wilmington, 7:30 P. M., arriving Southport, 9:00 P. M.

H. E. GOODWIN, Traffic Manager.

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed made by J. C. Jones and wife and J. R. Sherrill to A. S. Kirby, and duly registered on the records of New Hanover County, in Book 65, page 483, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, at the wood yard at the foot of Hanover street, in the City of Wilmington, on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock M., the following personal property, to-wit: 3 dump carts, 2 drays, 4 mules, 2 horses, 1 gasoline engine (5-horse-power), 1 saw and 1 splitter and machinery connected therewith.

And the undersigned will also sell, at the Court House door of New Hanover County, on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock, M., that certain lot at Carolina Place, having a two-story dwelling thereon, beginning at the northeast intersection of Perry avenue and Eighteenth street; runs eastwardly along the line of Perry avenue 66 feet; thence northwardly 113 feet to an alley; thence westwardly along the line of said alley 66 feet to the eastern side of Eighteenth street 113 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 11 and 12, block 31, according to he map of said Carolina Place.

Said sale to be made subject to prior mortgages to the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company and C. R. Spooner.

This 10th of July, 1912.

A. S. KIRBY, Mortgagee.

By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.

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ENTRY NO. 9128.

To the Entry Taker of New Hanover County.

D. L. Gore hereby enters the following described land, situate in Harnett Township, in New Hanover County, North Carolina, described as follows, and containing about 100 acres, to-wit:

Beginning at two stones on the Scott's Hill Macadamized Road, marked G H, and D L G; running thence North 29 degrees West 48 chains and 60 links, to a corner in Little Gum Branch; thence with the run of said Branch to the intersection of Big Gum Branch; thence up the same Northeastwardly to the Thomas Howe line; thence with the line of the Thomas Howe grant South 1 1-2 degrees West, about 20 poles, to the corner of said Thomas Howe grant; thence North 88 1-2 degrees East, about 40 poles, to the Marshburn—now James Grant—line; thence South 37 1-2 degrees West, about 19 chains, to a corner; thence about the same course continued to the beginning, and the same bounded on the South by his own tract, known as the Sarah Weeks land, and the Scott's Hill Road; on the West by D. L. Gore's Elm Grove Tract; on the North by Big Gum and Little Gum Branches, and the Thomas Howe grant, and on the East by the Reuben Everett tract and Thomas Howe grant.

This 2nd day of August, 1912.

D. L. GORE.

Entered and filed this 2nd day of August, 1912.

JOHN HAAR, Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.

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SEABOARD Air Line Railway SCHEDULE

EFFECTIVE APRIL 9th, 1912.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON, N. C.

No. 45—5 A. M. arrive Hamlet, 9:05 A. M. Leave Hamlet 9:25 A. M.; arrive Charlotte, 12:10 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with train 66, at 9:05 A. M. with through train for Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond and points North. At Monroe, with* train 53 for Atlanta and points South. Daily sleeper for Charlotte. Open for occupancy at 10 P. M.

No. 39—3:25 P. M.; arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet 8 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and all points north. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte, and sleeper between Wilmington and Atlanta daily. Through to Birmingham Sundays and Wednesdays.

TRAINS ARRIVE WILMINGTON, N. C.

No. 40—12:30 P. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 44—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

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F. A. FETTER, Commercial Agent, Orton Hotel. 'Phone No. 178.
H. S. LEARD, Div. Passenger Agent, Raleigh, N. C.
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Steamship "Navahoe," Fri., Aug. 16th, 1912.
Steamship "Carib," Fri., Aug. 23rd, 1912.

Wilmington to New York.
Steamship "Carib," Sat. Aug. 17th, 1912.
Steamship "Navahoe," Sat., Aug. 24th, 1912.

Wilmington to Georgetown.
Steamship "Carib," Mon., Aug. 12th, 1912.
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Harper line of steamers leave Wilmington daily except Sunday, for Southport, 9 A. M.; for Carolina Beach, 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Returning, leave Southport, 11:45 A. M.; Carolina Beach, 12:45 and 5:45 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave for Southport, 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.; Carolina Beach, 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Returning, leave Carolina Beach, 12:45, 6 and 8:30 P. M.

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Lv. Norfolk	8:30 a.m.	8:00 p.m.
Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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Tuesday, August 13, 1912.

Sound and fury is often taken for ability.

A lady moose would prefer to a Teddyrinctum.

The cure for our political ills is an anti-fat remedy.

The part which some men take in politics is to play the dickens.

Impeachment proceedings would be all right except for the whitewash process.

All trust busters have made a bust of it. Trust busters ought to "give in" their real experience.

"We must apply the rule of right," says Woodrow Wilson. And some men think it is their right to rule.

The capitalist wants protection when he can really get along better without it than any other class.

It is poor party policy to advocate one candidate by opposing another. Crow-eating comes from that kind of policy.

The Democratic party is on the offensive, the Republican party is on the defensive, and the Bull Moose party is on the pretensive.

The plain people would like to know how Roosevelt and Taft propose to help them by taxing them for the enrichment of the people who are not plain people.

It is the demagogue who appeals to distinct classes of voters. A candidate who is not willing to represent the masses instead of the classes ought to be left at home.

President Taft has several times urged the South to quit being the Solid South. He probably views with alarm the fact that there is to be no Solid North in this campaign.

A Republican speaker alludes to the protective tariff as an "economic system." On the contrary it is economic tyranny when it taxes the many to swell the fortunes of the few.

The Jacksonville Times-Union turns down a proposition to include sleds in its scheme to push circulation. Of course, no Florida man would have any use for a sled. They are accustomed to skates.

Roosevelt has thrown down the darkey under the impression that it will help him to carry some Southern States, but we don't know of any Southern States that want to be carried by Teddy under false pretenses.

Roosevelt has gotten it into his head that this political mix-up is the battle of Armageddon, but if he is fighting "the battle of the Lord" how comes it that he has picked out George W. Perkins, of the Harvester Trust, for his drum major? When the fat is fried Major Perkins will be in it.

When you run for an office, never mind what the other fellow has done contrary to the way you would do it. Tell what you have done or would do and let the people decide whether you could do as well as the other fellow if you were elected. We know of politicians who got the political goat of others and didn't know what to do with it after they got it.

The women of Colorado, Idaho, Utah, Washington and Wyoming have the right to vote for President on the 5th of November. Teddy has made a bid for the 37 electoral votes of those States by recognizing woman suffrage in his platform. The ladies probably remember what he did to Mrs. Minor Morris when she called at the White House while he was President.

WILMINGTON'S COMMERCE.

Wilmington did a greater volume of commerce during the last fiscal year than was done in the preceding year, although the money value was not quite so great as it was last year. As it was, the exports from Wilmington amounted in value to $28,705,448, the commodities exported being cotton, naval stores, pig iron, peanuts and lumber. Two cargoes of pig iron were shipped from Birmingham, Ala., via the port of Wilmington, to Valparaiso, Chile. The values named do not include several cargoes of lumber sent by rail to Norfolk and exported to Germany for piano material. Neither do they include a quantity of peanuts sent to New York and exported thence to South America.

As before stated, Wilmington's exports amounted to $28,705,448, compared with $28,812,543 in 1911. Thus the port held its own in shipments of commodities and merchandise to foreign countries, the principal exports consisting of cotton, of which the shipments were more than a half million bales. But for the lower price prevailing for cotton, the money value of our exports would have exceeded those of 1911. Besides exports, imports from foreign countries in 1912 footed up a value of $3,090,703 compared with imports of $3,205,407 the previous year. Practically speaking, the port held its own and stood sixth among all Atlantic and Gulf ports in the amount of exports, and eleventh as to imports.

The following is the official customs report made up by the government, and compared with the previous year:

Exports by Southern Districts.

Customs Districts.	1911.	1912.
Apalachicola, Fla.	$ 367,382	$701,095
Baltimore, Md.	85,120,843	92,210,877
Beaufort, S. C.	15,000	45,000
Brazos de Sant., Tex.	511,520	1,041,789
Brunswick, Ga.	14,138,847	19,889,838
Charleston, S. C.	8,950,950	12,423,035
Corpus Christi, Tex.	12,876,106	10,404,250
Fernandina, Fla.	7,549,342	6,529,640
Galveston, Tex.	220,504,917	218,146,097
Georgetown, D. C.	3,974	...
Georgetown, S. C.	14,689	...
Jacksonville, Fla.	2,647,882	2,329,322
Kansas City, Mo.	371,870	537,974
Key West, Fla.	1,557,968	1,599,292
Louisville, Ky.	19,901	...
Mobile, Ala.	30,154,037	31,230,117
New Orleans, La.	172,835,293	149,160,910
Newport News, Va.	5,468,480	6,348,751
Norf.-Ports., Va.	9,628,932	11,998,504
Paso del Norte, Tex.	6,914,094	6,172,436
Pearl River, Miss.	11,368,490	10,849,483
Pensacola, Fla.	20,505,873	23,886,645
Richmond, Va.	26,072	7,800
Sabine, Tex.	23,981,681	22,964,280
St. Louis, Mo.	2,000	1,277
St. Marks, Fla.	1,016,910	1,026,300
St. Marys, Ga.	14,974	57,699
Saluria, Tex.	4,748,619	2,694,307
Savannah, Ga.	72,076,045	104,286,925
Tampa, Fla.	3,636,606	4,409,640
Wilmington, N. C.	28,812,543	28,705,448
Total South	$747,822,348	$769,678,632
United States	$2,049,320,199	$2,204,322,400

Imports by Customs Districts.

The following are the imports by districts:

Customs Districts.	1911.	1912.
Alexandria, Va.	$ 1,200	$1,500
Apalachicola, Fla.	64	1,010
Atlanta, Ga.	252,745	277,460
Baltimore, Md.	32,174,404	26,438,400
Brazos de Sant., Tex.	216,577	218,912
Brunswick, Ga.	186,783	76,618
Charleston, S. C.	6,216,573	5,024,074
Chattanooga, Tenn.	51,158	57,572
Corpus Christi, Tex.	1,481,334	1,480,835
Fernandina, Fla.	52,839	45,774
Galveston, Tex.	3,530,945	4,300,758
Georgetown, D. C.	837,249	1,131,915
Houston, Tex.	362,566	444,670
Jacksonville, Fla.	892,581	1,354,000
Kansas City, Mo.	1,801,872	1,838,150
Key West, Fla.	1,499,285	1,123,028
Knoxville, Tenn.	14,052	11,835
Louisville, Ky.	786,025	757,030
Memphis, Tenn.	275,415	175,281
Mobile, Ala.	4,031,737	4,633,907
Nashville, Tenn.	81,738	92,345
New Orleans, La.	66,722,295	75,089,887
Newport News, Va.	1,844,947	1,964,586
Norf.-Ports., Va.	2,078,554	1,809,371
Pamlico, N. C.	20,069	663
Paso del Norte, Tex.	3,153,024	4,680,386
Pearl River, Miss.	35,757	65,850
Pensacola, Fla.	2,121,314	1,534,125
Petersburg, Va.	251,292	372,775
Richmond, Va.	998,929	926,516
Sabine, Tex.	173,815	728,156
St. Augustine, Fla.	9,833	11,012
St. Joseph, Mo.	207,921	235,191
St. Louis, Mo.	6,025,958	6,054,566
St. Marks, Fla.	14,055	6,327
Saluria, Tex.	6,386,846	5,142,795
Savannah, Ga.	5,296,746	5,129,979
Tampa, Fla.	4,018,352	4,752,475
Wilmington, N. C.	3,205,407	3,090,703
Total South	$157,311,256	$161,090,056
United States	$1,527,966,105	$1,623,354,934

The Manufacturers' Record of August 8th, published an interesting review of the South's commerce for 1912, compared with 1911, and it shows that the South's exports sent directly from Southern ports amounted to $769,678,632, or about 34.9 per cent. of the entire exports of the United States However, the Record states that, including Southern material exported from Northern and Pacific ports, the South contributed an export value of $1,002,000,000 out of a grand total of $2,204,000,000 for the entire country. Thus the South's real share of America's foreign commerce was 45.5 per cent., or nearly one-half. That is highly significant in the fact that it is Southern resources on which the United States depend for nearly half their commerce, while the South constitutes but a small part of the country. The potentialities of Southern ports also are emphasized in the fact that they directly handled 34.9 per cent. of the foreign commerce of the country. Commenting upon these statistics, the Manufacturers' Record remarks:

"Not enough gold was mined in the world in the calendar year 1911 to pay for the raw cotton of the South exported from this country in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1912. The value of that cotton exported was $565,849,271, or 25.7 per cent. of the aggregate value of all merchandise exported from the country in the fiscal year. The $50,769,511 worth of manufactured cotton exported, the $24,089,223 of cottonseed oil, the $17,325,858 of cottonseed meal and cake and the $727,100 of cottonseed added to the value of the raw cotton exports bring the total value of the exports based upon a single Southern product, cotton, to $658,760,963. That amount was 29.9 per cent. of the value of all exports. All the exports of phosphate rock, valued at $8,982,934, and all of naval stores, valued at $26,754,987, were produced in the South. In addition, there should be credited to the production of the South $78,000,000 represented in exports of wood and its manufactures, $41,000,000 in tobacco, $40,000,000 in petroleum, $34,000,000 in coal, and at least $115,000,000 in breadstuffs, meats, iron and steel goods and miscellaneous articles.

"Study of this table reveals a number of interesting facts bearing upon the steady growth of Southern ports as factors in the foreign commerce of this country. Galveston, ranking second among the ports of the country in the value of its exports, exported to the value of $218,146,097, or $90,603,766 more than the value of combined exports from all the Pacific ports of the United States. New Orleans, ranking third, had exports valued at $149,160,910, or $10,399,009 more than the combined exports of Boston and Philadelphia. Savannah, ranking fourth, had exports valued at $104,286,925, or more than twice the exports of San Francisco.

"Because of the lower price of raw cotton, the value of cotton exports in 1912 was $19,500,000 less than in 1911, notwithstanding the last that 2,846,000 more bales went abroad. Hence the slight increase in the total value of exports from Southern ports, from $747,822,348 to $769,678,632, or by $21,856,284, equal to 2.9 per cent., as compared with an increase of 10.1 per cent., from $1,301,497,851 to $1,434,643,777, or by $133,145,926, in the rest of the country."

BATTLING FOR THE LORD—NIT

North Carolina Republicans, or former Republicans, who are going to support Colonel Roosevelt for President, deny the right of Republican State Chairman Morehead and his State Committee to read the Bull Moose fellows out of the party and bar them from the State convention called to meet in Charlotte, September 4th. It is quite likely, therefore, that an insurgent movement of formidable proportions will invade Charlotte and make it lively for the Taft contingent.

Be it remembered at the recent meeting of the Morehead committee in Greensboro, a resolution was adopted providing for the exclusion from the convention of all men favorable to Roosevelt and who are not loyal supporters of Taft. Colonel Jake Newell, of Charlotte, who is Republican chairman of Mecklenburg county, but who has joined the Roosevelt followers, bitterly resents the action of Chairman Morehead and his committee. In an interview in the Charlotte Chronicle Colonel Jake thus delivers himself:

"I consider the action that Chairman Morehead took at the recent meeting of the Republican executive committee at Greensboro as an insult. I have as much right in the Republican party as he has. If Chairman Morehead goes into the convention here and attempts to defeat us he will have about the strength that he had in the first convention at Raleigh, that is about 5 per cent."

Colonel Newell adds that he does not know what the Roosevelt followers will do in the coming State convention, but that if they decide to participate in that convention, they "will beat Morehead and his crowd to a frazzle." Colonel Newell, probably, correctly sizes up the Taft strength in North Carolina, but some surprise will be felt that it is even so much as five per cent. It probably is nearer the Wilmington savings bank rate—4 per cent—but if the Morehead Republican convention is composed of only a dozen men who can comply with his call, what right would a Progressive party man have in it any more than the rankest Democrat in North Carolina? If the convention were captured by the Bull Moosers it wouldn't be a Republican convention, but a Progressive party convention. If Democrats were to wade in and capture the convention it certainly would not be a Republican convention.

Th Bull Moosers may insist upon attending the convention but there is no fear that any Democrats will attend, though if the Roosevelt supporters insist upon capturing a Republican convention there is the possibility of a lively time in Charlotte. Of course, there could be but one result, just as was the case at Chicago—a split and two conventions. So far as party law goes, the National Republican convention would not recognize the Bull Moose convention and that would end it so far as party regularity is concerned.

Nevertheless, if delegates sent to the Charlotte convention as Republicans endorse Roosevelt and nominate electors who will vote for him they doubtless will be recognized in the courts. Upon that question Hon. Iredell Meares, of Wilmington, had a long and strong argument in the Greensboro News of yesterday. Mr. Meares takes the ground that notwithstanding the fact that the Republican State Convention has the moral and legal right to repudiate Taft and indorse Roosevelt, he believes the better plan of the Progressives would be to organize the Progressive party in every county and district in the State.

Of course, that would be more moral than to steal something from Chairman Morehead. In "battling for the Lord," it would be better to do the square thing.

WAGES HIGH IN ITALY.

We do not know what her war with Turkey has to do with higher wages in Italy, but it has developed that on account of the increased demand for labor at good wages, Italian labor is not coming to the United States in such numbers as will supply the demand in this country.

A Republican argument in behalf of a protective tariff is that it makes wages high and benefits the working man. However, it is quite possible for it to have just the opposite effect, for when labor gets high American captains of industry, the real beneficiaries of the tariff, import cheaper labor from abroad. Thus they bring cheap foreign labor into competition with home labor, and as a matter of fact that tends to lower the price of labor here in spite of the protective tariff argument.

Advocates of the protective tariff pretend like it protects American labor from the cheap foreign article, although there's no limit to the foreign labor that may be attracted here to get the benefit of higher wages in America. Home labor certainly has no cinch when foreign laborers are imported by the millions to work for less than the scale of wages warranted by protection, if it actually went to labor instead of going into the hands of Big Business.

When wages are high in American cotton mills English labor certainly could take advantage of it and come over by the thousands, if the difference in the cost of living there and here did not make it a stand-off between the lesser wages paid in the Old Country and the high wages paid here. However, we do not have large numbers of English mill operatives coming to this country, for the difference in wages and living is not so great as to be an inducement. We only draw immigration from the sources of cheap labor supply, and that is the labor which comes here to build railroads and compete with laborers of certain so-called low grades.

It is said now that even Italian laborers are not coming here for the reason that they can get good wages and live cheaper at home. A special dispatch from New York to the Baltimore Sun, under date of August 9th, states that the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad has found that out. The railroad management recently started an investigation to ascertain why labor was scarce along that line and why there was not the usual influx of Italian immigration.

The answer was not to be had in America. It was on the other side of the ocean. It was ascertained in Italy that wages had risen to $1.37 1-2 a day and that Italians did not have to come to the United States to seek work along the line of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad or on other American railroads. This makes labor scarce and high over here, for railroad developments are being carried forward on a large scale at present, with every prospect that the country is on the eve of a great railway building era.

Speaking about how the protected interests circumvent high wages in this country, investigation by Congress developed the fact that some of the highly protected woolen manufacturers have imported cheaper European labor to keep down the wage scale. The woolen grafters get more protection than any other interest, and yet their mills are full of cheap foreign labor. American workmen are forced out of the mills so the manufacturers can make use of protection for their own benefit. The higher their protection, the cheaper labor they want, so they go abroad to get it that they can pocket the protective benefits by standing off American labor with imported foreign labor. The government is now prosecuting some woolen manufacturers for doing that very thing—importing labor under contract.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Not a long while ago the Star had the pleasure of printing a timely and exceedingly well written communication from an automobilist, signing himself "Motorist," and calling attention to the need and enforcement of proper speed and traffic regulations. This communication alone should have been sufficient to place both the public and our officials on guard that the improvement of the streets had brought increased responsibilities upon drivers and the necessity for the strictest vigilance on the part of officials in seeing that the laws now on the statute books are properly enforced. While there has been improvement, it is observed, there is yet room for improvement and the grand jury at the late term of the Superior Court very properly adverted to the need of the exercise of more care in the operation of vehicles on the thoroughfares of the city and county and with this warning in the face of all, it is to be hoped that there may be still further improvement in the observance of speed and traffic regulations. It is too late to give warning when the tragedy has come.

The women of Chester, S. C., are holding meetings and praying for the political redemption of South Carolina. This shows how women would vote if they could get to the ballot box. They would vote according to their consciences, and that would be for what is right. Things go wrong politically because men do not vote conscientiously, and yet it is a citizen's duty to vote right in compliance with a serious moral obligation.

The Washington Post thinks the "sober sentiment of the country is rapidly swinging to Taft." Sober sentiment cuts very little ice compared with the sentiment which is out on a skate.

CURRENT COMMENT.

For the third time, Mr. Charles A. Webb, chairman of the State Democratic executive committee, has vindicated himself against the charge of unfairness, or worse, in the administration of the affairs of his office. In view of the developments following his "call down" by Mr. Huffman, of Morganton, it would appear that the charges in this particular case had better been left unmade, for Mr. Webb shows clearly that he could not have acted otherwise and been classed as a fair man. His position is strengthened by the statement of Mr. McDowell, a member of the Burke county executive committee. So far, Mr. Webb has scored against his critics, some of whom have manifestly acted too hastily, or jumped at conclusions. The Observer confesses to a sense of gratification for the sake of the Democratic party of the State, that the chairman of its executive committee has been able to make so satisfactory a defense.—Charlotte Observer.

You just can't keep the Republicans away from mixing up with negroes. It's in the atmosphere for them, and when there are votes to be pulled for the negro is called on by the Republicans. The latest news is that Taft is to invade the South in the proxy of the negro, W. H. Lewis, who is the assistant to Attorney General Wickersham. Lewis is the negro lawyer about whom there was such a protest as a member of the National Bar Association, and whom Wickersham insisted upon inflicting upon the white members. Taft had the negro delegates in Chicago, and Roosevelt tried to lead them into his camp, the allegations being that bribery was the coaxer used to have them desert Taft. But the Southern negroes stuck to Taft and therefore when Roosevelt had his convention he knocked out the Southern negro, but kept in the negro of the North, saying that the negro of the South was unfit. Taft kept his negro votes in Chicago, and now he is after keeping the negro voters of the South in line. So there is sent out as an official campaign speaker to the South a negro. The Republican party is tied up with the negro, and parades him to get votes. With success to it the negro would be continued in offices in the South.—Raleigh News and Observer.

A CARD

Montreat, N. C., August 10, 1912.

Editor Star:—I heard a speaker from Louisville, Ky., saying the city (or perhaps citizens) of Louisville were erecting a Tuberculosis Hospital there and are locating it seven miles out from the city. I thought of Wilmington and I certainly hope similar action may be taken there—though the distance need not be so far. I heard something else in private conversation that I give you for what it is worth, not vouching for the correctness of the theory (do not use my name) it is that that dread disease Pellagra is carried by bed bugs. If this is true it ought to be known. More negroes have this disease than is realized for it does not show on them as quickly as it does on white people and it may be spread by bugs carried in the laundry.

WILMINGTONIAN.

MR. GODWIN EXPLAINS.

Tells Why Wilmington Gets No Custom House Funds This Year.

Mr. J. B. Mercer, Wilmington, N. C.

My Dear Sir:—Your kind favor of the 2nd instant, enclosing clipping from the Wilmington Star, showing an editorial entitled "The New Custom House," has been received and noted. In reply I beg to state that I am very sorry indeed that this Custom House matter has been delayed as long as it has. You remember after the first appropriation providing for the purchase of additional ground and the construction of a new Custom House at Wilmington, quite a long delay was experienced in acquiring a fee simple title to the property. During this delay and after the title to the additional ground was secured, it appeared to be the unanimous sentiment of the people of Wilmington and that section of the State that an additional appropriation should be secured to construct a larger building which would be in keeping with the port, the city of Wilmington and the entire State. To do this it became necessary to request the supervising architect not to draw plans for the Customs House for the original appropriation of $300,000. Delay was therefore requested until an additional appropriation extending the limit of cost to $600,000 at least could be authorized. I would be glad to see a Customs House constructed there which would cost not less than one million dollars. Since it was definitely determined that an additional appropriation was necessary Congress has passed no Public Buildings Bill. During the first session of the present Congress, which was held last Summer and called, chiefly, by the President to enact reciprocity legislation, no public building legislation was passed. Soon after the beginning of the present session I introduced a bill in the House of Representatives providing for the additional appropriation and I have every reason to believe that my bill would have been incorporated in the general Public Buildings Omnibus bill if one had been passed; but early in the session the Democratic members of the House held a caucus and agreed to postpone the passage of a public buildings bill to the coming session to convene in December, therefore, it has been impossible to get through any legislation of the kind during this session. I have no desire to violate the rules of the caucus and I could not pass the bill even if I would, because bills of this kind are always incorporated in a general omnibus bill and no omnibus bill for public buildings will be passed by the House of Representatives under the rules of the caucus until the coming session, which will convene on the first Monday in next December.

The items in reference to Greensboro, Charlotte and Raleigh were not passed by the Congress in separate bills, nor tacked on as riders, but they were authorized by the Appropriations Committee to take care of existing projects heretofore provided for and to carry on and maintain the construction work now in operation in cases where the limit of cost has been fixed and made definite.

I think no time will be lost from now on and I am satisfied that the people of Wilmington will be pleased when after the beginning of the next session it will be made known that they are to have a $600,000 Customs House instead of one costing only $300,000. Yours very truly,

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Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.

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WOMEN ENTER SUBMISSIONS

Forty-two Pleaded Guilty to Vagrancy Charge In Recorder's Court—Judgment Reserved—Other Cases Tried Yesterday

Forty-two of the women who were arrested Saturday afternoon on charges of vagrancy entered pleas of guilty in the Recorder's court yesterday morning, judgment being reserved by the court until Thursday. A number of the women are under bond for their appearance, while others were recognized. About 20 of those for whom warrants were issued were called and failed. These cases were continued and capiases were issued, $25 bond to be required if taken. Four other women upon whom papers were served sent physicians' certificates to the effect that they were too ill to attend court.

Those who plead guilty were as follows: Grace George, Thelma McDonald, Tillie Marshall, Mable Jones, Gussie Greer, Evelyn Thaw, Thelma Arlington, Helen Woodward, Margaret Nelson, Teddy McDonald, Myrtle Page, Minnie Taylor, Mildred Reddick, Bessie Murphy, Evelyn Goldman, Ruth Allison, Florence Parham, Lillian Smith, Gertrude Astor, Bessie Brooks, Ethel Norwood, Nellie Berry, Maud Pinner, Fannie Howey, Lola Harris, Etta Willard, Violet McDonald, Gipsie Masion, Lillie Edwards, Mable Valentine, Irene McKinley, Blanche Brown, Nannie Jones, Edna Allen, Maggie Smith, Ella Osborne, Gertrude Hamlet, Mable Stephens, Thelma Williams, white, and Hattie Simpson, colored.

The docket was pretty well congested in addition to the cases against the women. Jas. Simmons, colored, was convicted of an assault on a female, his wife, and was sentenced to three months on the county roads. P. W. Nixon, another negro, was found guilty on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon and likewise drew three months. On a charge of an assault with a deadly weapon he was found not guilty.

Andrew Eason, a white man, was tried on a charge of the larceny of some growing corn from the county farm. Judgment was left open until today and the defendant was required to give $100 bond for his appearance.

Divis Ruben, white, was fined $10 and costs for violating the ordinance pretaining to junk shops. John Holland, colored, paid $5 and costs for disorderly conduct; judgment on Jas. Riley, nuisance, was suspended on payment of the costs; Buck Hill, colored, plead guilty to a charge of violating the tax ordinances and prayer for judgment was continued on payment of the costs. Walter Barnes, white, was found guilty of speeding in an auto and judgment was suspended on payment of the costs. Joe Ward, colored, charged with vagrancy, was found not guilty. Geo. Hill, colored, paid $5 and costs for fast driving. Judgment was suspended on R. S. Lawrence, colored, charged with violating the driving ordinance, on payment of the costs. Two drunks paid $5 and costs.

James Johnson, colored, charged with complicity with Lisbon Payne, colored, in the larceny of a mule from the city scavenging service, was also charged with carrying a concealed weapon, which it is alleged he purchased with part of the money he received from the sale of the mule. Both cases were continued, bond in the larceny case being fixed at $100 and in the other case at $50.

SHOOTING IN BRUNSWICK.

One Negro Injured by Another Sunday Morning at Bolivia.

Chas. Fulwood, colored, was shot in the breast and slightly wounded at a negro camp meeting at Bolivia, Brunswick county, Sunday morning, about 1 o'clock, and Wallace Jones, another negro, is in jail at Southport, charged with the shooting. Fulwood came to the city Sunday morning on the W., B. & S. train and went to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where it was found that the bullet had barely penetrated the skin in his left breast. The bullet was removed and the wound dressed, after which Fulwood left.

Jones was found by Sheriff J. J. Knox and Mr. E. W. Taylor, hiding in the woods near his home, Sunday afternoon and was arrested. He was carried on to Southport yesterday morning.

Particulars as to what led up to the shooting were not learned.

MARRIED HERE YESTERDAY.

Miss Lula Larsen Bride of Mr. Robert H. Willoughby.

Mr. Robert H. Willoughby, of Rocky Mount, and Miss Lula Larsen, of Winter Park, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jordan, 106 Meares street, Justice G. W. Bornemann officiating in his most impressive manner. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of friends and relatives of the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan left last night for Rocky Mount, where they will live in the future. Mr. Jordan is in the employ of the A. C. L. there as a car builder. Both young people have many friends here whose best wishes will follow them to their new home.

Building Permits Issued.

Permits for buildings were issued by Building Inspector Chas. Schnibben yesterday as follows: Chas. Burnett, two one-story houses on Sixth, between Dawson and Wright streets, to cost $725 each; Mrs. T. H. Thompson, one-story dwelling on Seventh, between Grace and Walnut streets, to cost $3,400; Wm. Crownstream, three-room house on McRae, between Taylor and Howard streets, to cost $100; M. Moore, four-room house on Dawson, between 12th and 13th streets, to cost $500.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION MET

Number of Matters Considered and Acted Upon at the Regular Monthly Meeting Yesterday Afternoon—The Details.

The regular monthly meeting of the County Board of Education was held yesterday afternoon at the Court House, Chairman J. O. Carr presiding and Messrs. Chas. E. Taylor and J. G. L. Gieschen, the other members, being present. Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of education, kept a record of the proceedings, and Mr. H. McL. Green, county treasurer, was also present. In addition to the usual routine business a number of matters were discussed and acted upon.

The board authorized the making of a contract with Rhodes & Underwood to construct a new school house at Winter Park, cost not to exceed $8,000, their compensation to be 10 per cent. of costs, and the board to furnish the material. The sinking of a deep well on the school property at Winter Park was also authorized.

Mr. Thos. F. Bagley, commissioner from District 14, appeared before the board to ask that a fence be constructed between the boys' and girls' playground at the school house at Seagate and that an additional room be built to the building in order to accommodate the increased attendance. The board authorized the erection of the fence and postponed action on the request for another room. Mr. Bagley also asked that a deep well be sunk at the colored school house in District 14. The board ordered that the well be sunk.

The purchase of a school site from Mr. B. B. Humphreys in District 13 was approved. The money for the erection of a building on this site has already been appropriated and the work will begin at once.

Prof. Catlett was authorized to order 60 double desks with steel frames, for use in the new school house at Winter Park, and the Seagate school; also for several other schools in which more desks are needed. The purchase of six teachers' desks for the Isaac Bear Memorial School was also authorized.

A request from a number of colored citizens in the Island Creek section for a school house for colored children was declined, the board being of the opinion that there were not enough children in the neighborhood to justify the expense of erecting a building and employing a teacher. The colored children in that section now attend the colored school at Castle Haynes.

The resignation of Mr. Geo. W. Trask as committeeman in District No. 12 was received, Mr. Trask stating that the reason for his resignation was that he was moving away soon. He thanked the members of the board for their co-operation during his service as committeeman. The matter of electing a successor was held open.

Messrs. J. W. Goley and L. V. Hester were elected as committeemen to fill vacancies in District No. 15, Delgado, and Mr. Jesse Williams was elected to fill a vacancy in District No. 8. All the vacancies were caused by the removal from the districts of the committeemen.

There being no other business before the board, a recess was taken.

ASK FOR PAVING.

Citizens Want Chesnut, Between Front and Second, Improved.

The question of paving Chesnut street, from Front to Second, with asphalt blocks, will be one of the matters to be considered by Council in regular weekly session tomorrow morning. There was talk yesterday of calling a special meeting for this matter, but it was finally decided to wait until the regular session, when Councilman B. C. Moore, who is out of the city, may be present. This was thought to be proper, inasmuch as he had made the point at a previous meeting that Council had, in his absence, changed plans for certain street work in his part of the city.

The contract of the Southern Paving & Construction Company was for the paving of Front street from the union station, or rather, the railroad bridge, to Castle street, but at the request of the Atlantic Coas Line, which is building a handsome new union sation, the paving of that portion of the street from the bridge to Red Cross was postponed until the completion of the new building. Material for this portion of a block had already been placed and has not yet been used. Owners of property on Chesnut street, between Front and Second, and others who use the thoroughfare, have asked that the material intended for Front street be used on this block and when the Coast Line building is completed the city can then provide for the paving of Front, between the bridge and Red Cross street. It is not improbable that Council will decide to pave the block in question as requested.

Application for Pardon

D. N. Stanley, a white man, sentenced by Judge Carter at the recent term of Superior Court to 12 months on the county roads for selling whiskey, after he had entered into an agreement, following his plea of nolo contendere at a previous term of court, has given notice that he will apply to Governor Kitchin for a pardon. Stanley alleges that the sentence was discriminatory and excessive, and that on account of sentence imposed his wife went insane and is now in an asylum. He claims that he has reformed and that he is now a repentant Christian. Stanley gave notice of appeal to Supreme Court and he will remain in jail until his case is heard in the higher tribunal unless Governor Kitchin should grant the pardon, which is doubtful.

Mr. W. I. Gore to Leave

Mr. William I. Gore, assistant in the office of the Seaboard commercial agent here, has resigned and will leave Thursday for Jacksonville, where he has accepted a position as private secretary to Col. W. E. Kay, assistant general counsel of the Atlantic Coast Line. Mr. Gore is a most popular young Wilmingtonian, and while his friends regret to see him leave the city, they will congratulate him on the excellent position which he has secured.

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Y. M. C. A. PLANS ACCEPTED

Bids Will Be Advertised for Immediately and Will Be Opened on Sept. 17th—Hoped to Start Work Soon

At a joint meeting of the boards of directors and trustees of the Y. M. C. A., held at the association building last night, plans for the new Y. M. C. A. building, funds for the erection of which were raised in the whirlwind 10-day campaign last Spring, were accepted and a resolution adopted authorizing the building committee to advertise for bids according to the specifications now in the hands of the committee, bids to be opened at noon, Sept. 17th, and to then report their recommendations to the two boards.

The revised plans call for a building of five stories and two basements, approximately covering the entire lot area of 97x165 feet in size, to cost not over $85,000. Bids will be asked covering building with and without auditorium, as it has not yet been decided whether or not to incorporate this in the building.

Mr. W. F. Shattuck, of the architectural firm of Shattuck & Hussey, of Chicago, which made the plans, was present last night at the meeting and explained all points fully to the members of the two boards. Dr. Jos. Akerman, president of the Y. M. C. A., presided.

The exterior of the building, which will be erected on the north side of Market street, just east of the Colonial Inn, on the lot purchased by the Y. M. C. A., for the purpose, will be faced on all elevations with pressed brick with cut stone trimmings. The front of the building will have an ornamental entrance with stone pillars and steps. The building will embrace a lobby, social departments for business men, young men and boys, gymnasium, swimming pool, billiard and game room, educational rooms, reading rooms, locker rooms, dormitories and possibly an auditorium. It will be heated with a modern steam heating plant and will be lighted by electricity.

The auditorium, if included will be located on the first floor and will be two stories in height. The swimming pool and shower baths will be located in the basement and provision will be made for saparate locker rooms for business men, young men and boys. The swimming pool will be of standard size, 20 feet wide and 60 feet long, lined on both bottom and sides with white tile, and will be provided with white terra cotta overflow gutter. It will be lighted with windows in walls and by skylights. The water in the pool will be filtered, so that the bottom can be seen at all times.

The gymnasium will be located on the first floor and will also occupy two stories in height. The side walls will be of pressed brick and the ceiling will be finished in yellow pine. There will be a running track which will be provided with banked curves of the most modern type. The shower baths, in close proximity to both the swimming pool and the gymnasium, will be finished in white marble.

Immediately off the front entrance of the building the main lobby will be located. It will be finished in oak with white tile floors. On the second floor will be located the various educational rooms and club rooms, and also a few of the dormitories, while the third, fourth and fifth floors will be devoted entirely to dormitories, of which there will be 71 in number. Each dormitory floor will be provided with shower baths, toilets and lavatories.

The building, when completed, will be one of the handsomest, as well as one of the most modern, in the State, and one that Wilmington may well be proud of. It is hoped to award the contract at the time the bids are opened, and to have the work begun at the earliest possible moment.

It will be remembered that the present Y. M. C. A. building has been sold and that the association will vacate it by September 1st. Temporary quarters for the association will be located on the first and second floors of the Odd Fellows' building on Third and Princess streets.

ANOTHER FIREWORKS DISPLAY

Hundreds Witnessed Splendid Exhibition at Lumina Last Night

The exhibition of fireworks that took place on Wrightsville Beach last night was the most successful of the several displays that have been given there this season. The weather conditions were perfect for a fireworks exhibition on the beach, there being a very light west wind blowing off shore. The display took place on the beach directly in front of the new grandstand recently erected at Lumina on the ocean side of the pavilion. The exhibition consisted of over 150 very handsome pieces that were greatly admirer by the spectators. The final piece in the display was a rocket flight which is a battery of rockets fused together and which fly through the air in a fiery mass when fired from the magazine. The crowd numbered about 2,500 people. Good car service was given by the Tidewater Power Company. There were plenty of cars to take care of the crowds and all trains left on schedule time.

Temporary Injunction Vacated

The temporary injunction granted in Superior Court here several weeks ago, restraining the Seaboard Air Line from installing a cross-over frog or switch in a track controlled jointly by the Atlantic Coast Line and the Seaboard Air Line, has been vacated by an order from Judge Frank Carter, made at Clinton, N. C., after he had received the report of Mr. C. D. Lawrence, a well-known railroad engineer in Georgia, relative to the technical points of the matter. The order gives the Seaboard the right to install the switch in order that it may be tested out, and the Seaboard is required to give $10,000 bond to indemnify the A. C. L. against possible injury to persons or property during the period of testing the switch.

HOT WEATHER DRINK

Horsford's Acid Phosphate

A teaspoonful added to a glass of cold tea or water is wonderfully refreshing

COUNTY FATHERS GATHER

Annual Meeting of Commissioners Will be Held at Oceanic Hotel, Beginning Tomorrow—Programme Outlined.

The annual convention of State Association of County Commissioners of North Carolina will convene in the ball room of the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, tomorrow morning and continue in session through Thursday and possibly Friday. Delegates have already commenced to arrive and it is expected that fully 125 county solons will be here for the sessions. Many of these will be accompanied by members of their families or friends, running the total number of visitors on the beach on account of the convention to something like 200.

The detailed programme has not yet been announced, but it is presumed that it has been tentatively arranged. An outline of the programme was announced yesterday and provides for the opening session tomorrow morning, when there will be an address of welcome, response, etc., following which business matters will be discussed. Several sessions of the convention will be held, but the hour for these has not yet been announced.

Mr. Duncan McEachern, chairman of the New Hanover county Board of Commissioners, and president of the association, will preside over the sessions of the body. Mr. H. L. Vollers, of this city, is secretary and treasurer, besides there is a vice president and a member of the executive committee from each Congressional district.

Wednesday night the visitors will be entertained at a souvenir dance at Lumina, given in their honor by the Tidewater Power Company. A banquet will be given Thursday evening at the Oceanic Hotel and a number of toasts will be responded to. Thursday afternoon the visitors will be entertained on an automobile trip over the roads of the county. Arrangements for this feature are being made by Messrs. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., and George Honnet, Jr. Some 30 or 35 automobiles will be needed for the outing and any owners who will either drive or lend their cars are asked to communicate with Messrs. MacMillan or Honnet as early as possible. Already a large number have assured the committee that their cars will be at their disposal.

Members of the association are looking forward to one of the most pleasant and profitable meeting ever held by the association.

ALCHOLIC PATIENTS

Dr. Akerman Tells Why Hospital Treatment Is Impractical Here

Editor Morning Star, Wilmington, N. C.

Gentlemen:—I notice in your issue of Saturday a reference to the absence of provision for the care of cases of alcholic mania in our local institutions. To the casual observer it seems a very simple measure but to those who have gone into the question the problem is very complex. During the infancy of our hospital we endeavored to care for such cases but found numerous difficulties. In the first place it requires especially constructed quarters. It is manifestly unjust to other ill patients to have such cases in the same quarters. In the next place it is wrong to ask our nurses to subject themselves to the odium of contact with such cases. On one occasion we had to contend with serious complications along this line. Those who have studied local labor conditions will realize that it is very difficult, in fact almost impossible, to secure trustworthy male attendants in our local market. They would have to be imported and provided with accommodations such as separate dining room, sleeping quarter and the like. Some have suggested use of the isolation ward for this purpose but this building was donated and equipped from private means for the care of any cases of contagious diseases that might develop in the hospital. If it were occupied by alcoholic patients it would destroy its usefulness for its original purpose. So to properly care for cases of acute mania it would require in addition to special equipment and added outlay of at least from $1,200 to $1,500 a year. This could not be withdrawn from the stated income of the hospital without detriment to the charity patients cared for in the institution. Until such expensive accommodations can be provided the county jail is the only place where such cases can be properly prevented from doing themselves and others damage.

JOS. AKERMAN.

SEAGATE PUBLIC SERVICE CO.

New Enterprise for Wilmington and New Hanover County

The Seagate Public Service Company is a new enterprise for New Hanover and it is about as novel as new for this section of the country. It is the purpose of the company to have, within the next few weeks, a line of automobile trucks on a regular schedule over the roads in the county, taking in Greenville, Seagate, Wrightsville, Scott's Hill, Castle Haynes and intermediate points. The company will enter into competition with the railroads and the electric line, as the terminal of each proposed automobile line is reached either by railroad or trolley. It is said that the company proposes to give such cheap rates as to assure a liberal patronage from the beginning. Among those interested in the company are Messrs. A. J. Hanby, A. W. Pate, T. F. Bagley, L. B. Douglas, E. McD. Reynolds and others. The company will have a capital stock of $25,000, but will have the privilege of increasing the amount to $100,000 at any time.

Real Estate Transfers

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Southern Realty & Development Company to E. R. Chadwick, for $10 and other considerations, lot No. 99 in Lakeside Park; Mary E. Baggett and husband to Sallie E. Baggett, for $50 and other considerations, tract in Harnett township, near Greenfield station; Lloyd S. Swann and wife to J. W. Blake and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on southwest corner of Second and Castle streets, 35x66 feet in size.

Souvenir Dance
Lumina tomorrow night. **

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PORT PARAGRAPHS.

Schooner Arrives With Cargo Salt—Record Run From New York.

The schooner Joseph P. Cooper, Capt. Hopkins, arrived yesterday from Black Tom, N. J., with cargo of 579 tons of salt to be discharged at the Seaboard Air Line terminals.

Capt. Stille, of the schooner John H. May, which arrived in port last week from New York, made a record run on the way down, only three days having been required to make the trip from the metropolis to Wilmington.

Died Sunday Morning.

Mr. John Hansley, a laborer of the city, aged about 34 years, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where he had been under treatment for a short time, Sunday morning about 1 o'clock. So far as is known the man has no relatives here and the hospital authorities had no information as to where his people live, if he has any. The remains were turned over to Mr. W. W. King, the undertaker, and will be interred in Oak Grove cemetery this morning.

VIOLATING EIGHT-HOUR LAW.

Representative Hughes Asks for Information on Shipbuilding Yards.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Convinced that certain ship yards now engaged in the construction of American battleships and submarines are violating the eight-hour law, Representative Hughes of New Jersey, Democrat, today introduced a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Navy to send to the House all information on the subject in the possession of the Navy Department. Mr. Hughes intimated that the New York Shipbuilding Company was reported to him to have violated the law carried in the last naval appropriation bill, making provision for two battleships and four submarines.

ANOTHER CAUCUS WEDNESDAY

House Democrats Will Compromise on One Big Dreadnaught

Washington, August 12.—A fourth Democratic House caucus was called today for Wednesday to consider the battleship question. Fully 100 Democratic members have subscribed to a proffered Senate compromise, to accept provision for one battleship, instead of two, which the Senate amendment to the Naval Appropriation bill called for. It is expected the caucus will agree to the compromise and that the vessel will be the most formidable warship built or contemplated.

Washington, August 12.—War on pellagra is proposed by Representative Byrnes, of Tennessee, Democrat, who today introduced a bill instructing experts of the Public Health Service to investigate to discover its causes and cure. The bill would appropriate $50,000.

CLEARANCE SALE WEEK---AUGUST 12th TO 17th

THE C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

"The Store That's Always Busy"

This sale will be one of those "Once in a Lifetime" Opportunities to really get desirable merchandise at such prices. The merchandise is just what every woman needs now. No room here for long descriptions—the Prices ought to Speak for themselves. Remember, "First Come First Served," so plan to be here early each morning during the sale. TERMS WILL BE CASH.

Women's Suits, Dresses and Skirts, One-Half and Less. Don't miss this Sale.

$10.00, $12.50 and $15.00 Foulard Dresses, 20 styles to select from; Sale Price each $7.50

$7.00 Repp Coats, in Natural shade; Clearance Sale Price only.. $4.75

$15.00 Cream Serge Suits; Clearance Sale Price; Special $9.75

$8.50 to $15.00 Lingerie Ladies' Dresses, slightly soiled; Clearance Sale Price $2.50

New Fall Suits have arrived and in order to open the season in advance, we will offer them during our Clearance Sale at Reduced Prices.

$7.50 and $8.50 values in Wool Skirts; Special Clearance Sale Price, each $4.75

White Corduroy Skirts, $1.75 to $2.50 values; Clearance Sale Price $1.25

$1.00 and $1.25 White Linen Skirts; Special Clearance Sale Price, only 65c

$2.50 and $3.00 Taffeta and Messaline Silk Petticoats; Clearance Sale only each $1.65

(Limit, one to a customer.)

$5.00 and $6.00 Messaline and Taffeta Silk Petticoats; Clearance Sale Price, only each $3.50

$18.00, $25.00 and $30.00 Evening Dresses—we offer during our Clearance Sale for One-Third Off these prices.

Ladies' Linen Suits, at One-Half their regular price.

$1.00 Black and White Lawn Dresses and $2.25 and $2.50 Colored Lawn Dresses; Clearance Sale Price, only each 75c

$1.75 and $2.00 Colored Lawn Dresses, late arrivals; Special, only $1.00

$1.25 and $1.50 Lawn Kimonas; to close the lot, we offer them during our Clearance Sale, at 75c

Children's Dresses and Romper Suits at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Linen and Crash Suits, worth $15.00 and $20.00; Clearance Sale Price, at, a suit $4.50

White Goods and Wash Goods are sacrificed in this Clearance Sale.

25c Cotton Foulards, One-Half regular price per yard 12½c

12½c and 15c Colored Lawns; Clearance Sale Price, only, per yard 7c

25c Imported Scotch Zephyr Gingham; Clearance Sale Price, only 19c

12½c Fancy Dress Ginghams; Clearance Sale Price, only, per yd ..8c

25c Colored Flaxon; Clearance Sale Price, only, per yard 18c

45-inch Embroidery Flouncing, $1.00 values; Clearance Sale Price, only 59c

50c Table Linen 42c

65c Table Linen 50c

75c Table Linen 60c

$1.00 Table Linen 85c

$1.25 Table Linen 98c

$1.25 Long Cloth 98c

$1.00 Long Cloth 90c

$1.50 Long Cloth $1.35

$1.75 Long Cloth $1.50

$2.00 Long Cloth $1.75

$1.50 English Nainsook $1.35

$1.75 English Nainsook $1.50

$2.00 English Nainsook $1.75

50c Table Cloths 39c

75c Napkins, 1 dozen 60c

$1.00 Napkins, 1 dozen 85c

$1.25 Napkins, 1 dozen $1.05

LINEN NAPKINS.

$1.50 values $1.35

$2.00 values $1.75

$2.50 values $2.00

$3.00 values $2.50

10 1-4 SHEETS.

75c values 65c

85c values 79c

$1.00 Hemstitched 90c

BED SPREADS.

$1.00 Bed Spreads 90c

$1.25 Bed Spreads 98c

$2.00 Bed Spreads $1.75

$2.50 Bed Spreads $2.25

25c Turkish Towels 19c

35c Turkish Towels 22½c

Dress Goods and Silks are cut remarkably low during this week's sale.

35c values in Tub Silks; Clearance Sale Price, per yard 18c

$1.00 Messaline, in all shades; Special Clearance Sale Price, per yd 79c

65c Fancy Foulard Silks for Dresses; Clearance Sale Price, only, yd 44c

Japanese Striped Silk for Dresses or Skirts, $1.00 value; Sale Price, only 75c

Natural Pongee, 36 inches wide; 75c value; Clearance Sale Price, a yard 45c

36-inch Bordered Foulard Satin, sold for $1.00 and $1.25 per yard; Clearance Sale Price, only, yd 59c

35c Japanese Silk; Clearance Sale Price, only, per yard 25c

The Carpet and Rug Department is now complete. Special prices during our Clearance Sale, to open the season. Don't wait until the last moment.

$25.00 Axminster Rugs, size 9x12, for $17.98

$30.00 Axminster Rugs, size 9x12, for $21.89

$18.00 Axminster Rugs, size 6x9, for $13.75

$4.50 Axminster Rugs, size 3x6, for $3.19

$3.00 Axminster Rugs, size 27x54, for $1.89

$18.00 Brussells Rugs, size 9x12, for $14.75

$15.00 Brussells Rugs, size 9x12, for $11.75

$10.00 Brussells Rugs, size 6x9, for $6.39

$10.00 Crex Rugs, size 9x12, for $7.25

$8.00 Crex Rugs, size 8x10, for $5.89

$5.00 Crex Rugs, sizes 6x9, for $3.75

$1.50 Crex Rugs, size 36x72 for $1.15

$6.00 Matting Rugs, size 9x12, $3.75

75c Matting Rugs, size 36x72, for 39c

$1.50 Axminster Carpet, for .. $1.15

$1.25 Velvet Carpet, for $1.05

$1.00 Brussels Carpet, for 89c

90c Brussells Carpet, for 79c

We have the above Carpets in Room, Hall and Stair Patterns, and the above prices include making, laying and lining. Buy now and have them laid when you want them.

35c Jap. and China Matting, for 25c

25c Jap. and China Matting, for 19c

$2.50 and $3.00 Lace Curtains, for, a pair $1.98

$2.00 Bobbinet Lace Curtains, for, a pair $1.39

$1.50 Swiss Curtains, for a pair 98c

85c Swiss Curtains, for a pair 59c

$1.25 and $1.50 Linoleum, 2 yards wide, for $1.00

One Week Clearance Sale, Aug. 12th to 17th, Attractive Bargains Throughout the Entire Store. Read Each Item Carefully.

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OPPOSITE POST OFFICE "The Store That's Always Busy."

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright, of Waycross, Ga., are visiting relatives at 118 North Ninth street.

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Mrs. Harry T. Cooley, of Newbern, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hewlett, at Carolina Place.

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Miss Annie May Murray has returned from a visit to her brother, Mr. W. D. Murray, at Holly Ridge.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Biggs, of Waycross, Ga., are the guests of Mrs. W. L. Vann, at 602 North Fifth street.

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Miss Gertrude A. Williams, of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting her brother, Mr. C. A. Williams, at No. 311 North Fifth street.

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Rev. Dr. Wm. H. Milton, rector of St. James' Episcopal church, and family, left last night for Roanoke, Va., where they will spend some days.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bentley, who have been spending some time in the city and at Wrightsville Beach, left yesterday morning for Thomasville, N. C.

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Misses Florence Shockley, Miss Una Clark and Dell Clark, trio of attractice young ladies from Atlanta, are spending a week in the city and at the beach.

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Yesterday afternoon's Charlotte Chronicle: "Miss Mary Lathrop, of Wilmington, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. J. A. Fore, on North College street."

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Maj. W. N. Harriss, Clerk of Saperior Court, will leave Friday of this week for a much needed vacation of a week, which he will spend in the mountains of Virginia.

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Mrs. Henry P. Munson, formerly Miss Nellie Cantwell, of Rochester, N. Y., is in the city visiting her cousin, Mrs. Thos. C. Lewis. Mrs. Munson is a daughter of the late Judge Cantwell.

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Mr. Chas. S. Parnell returned last night from a visit to relatives and friends in Winston-Salem and Mocksville. Mrs. Parnell and children will not return until the latter part of the month.

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Mrs. Cecil F. Angell is visiting relatives and friends in New York City and Long Island. Mr. Angell left yesterday for Macon, Ga., and hereafter he and Mrs. Angell will make their home in that city.

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Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, left yesterday afternoon for Montreat, N. C., where he will spend some time, later joining his family in West Virginia. Dr. Wells will be away about a month.

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The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church, will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 5 o'clock in the church parlors. All the ladies of the congregation are invited to be present.

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Sunday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Miss Maude Kingsbury, daughter of Wilmington's great literateur, Dr. Theodore Bryant Kingsbury, returned to Wilmington yesterday after a visit to Oxford, the old home of the Kingsburys. Miss Kingsbury spent the night with Mrs. Alex. J. Field."

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Accompanied by Mr. I. L. Caldwell, of Lumberton, Messrs. Arthur Newkirk and D. B. Leonard, of this city, drove in the latter's automobile from Lumberton to Wilmington yesterday, leaving there at 1 o'clock and arriving here at 8. Messrs. Newkirk and Leonard had been attending a house party given by Mr. Caldwell and the latter came with them to spend some time as the guest of Mr. Leonard.

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Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Ozment and little four-months-old son, Baxter, Jr., arrived yesterday from Charlotte and will spend two weeks at Wrightsville Beach. The child has been sick for several days of malarial fever and it was thought by the parents that the change would prove beneficial. Mr. Ozment was formerly assistant foreman of The Star and is now connected with the Charlotte Observer.

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Asheville Citizen, Sunday: "The Misses McDowell entertained yesterday afternoon with a tea in honor of Mrs. James Huntington, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Alexander McLain Sinclair, of Memphis, both of whom are sisters of the hostesses. Various yellow flowers were used to decorate the residence. The Misses McDowell were assisted in receiving their guests by Mrs. Huntington, Mrs. Sinclair, Mrs. Clements, Miss Mary McDowell, Miss May Stockton, Mrs. William Hardee and Mrs. Stuart."

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Among the Wilmingtonians who went down to Fort Caswell Sunday to visit the boys of the Coast Artillery Corps, N. C. N. G., in camp there, were Mayor Joseph D. Smith, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Rebecca M. Swann, who were guests for dinner of Mrs. L. M. Dodamead, of High Point, wife of one of the officers of the corps, and Miss Estelle Suttonfield, also of High Point, at the regimental headquarters. Others in the dining party were Lieut.-Col. Max L. Barker, of Salisbury, commanding the corps; Capt. Cox and Lieutenant Tankersly, and Hon. Whitehead Kluttz, also of Salisbury. The day was most pleasantly spent by all who composed the congeniel party.

FIVE PERSONS KILLED.

Olympian Train Breaks Through a Bridge in Far West.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 12.—Five persons were killed and several injured late today when the westboud Olympian train of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound Railroad broke through a bridge a half mile west of Keechelus, 67 miles east of Seattle.

New York, Aug. 12.—Jack Britton, of Chicago, outpointed Eddie Smith, of New York, in a clean 10-round boxing match at Madison Square Garden tonight. Britton was too clever for the local man. He had the advantage of three pounds in weight, tipping the scales at 135 3-4.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. N. P. Liles, of Elizabethtown, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Ex-Judge T. A. McNeill arrived yesterday to spend some time at Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. W. H. Kelly, of the A. C. L. general offices, has returned after a visit to Atlantic City.

—Mr. A. J. Yopp, of the Yopp-Whitsett Sanitarium and Liquor Cure Co., is in the city on a business trip.

—Mr. J. M. Power, of the A. C. L. car accountant's office, returned Sunday from a short visit to Charleston.

—Representative E. M. Koonce, of Onslow, and David J. Lewis, Esq., of Columbus, were here Sunday and yesterday on professional business.

—Ex-Judge Walter H. Neal, and family, of Laurinburg, arrived last night and went through to the beach, where they will spend some time.

—Mr. S. W. Carroll, of the A. C. L. car accountant's office, left Sunday afternoon for his home in Magnolia, where he will spend a short time.

—Misses Lillian Taylor and Hattie Middette, of the A. C. L. car accountant's office, returned Sunday from Black Mountain, where they spent their vacations.

—Miss Chrissie Boney, of the A. C. L. car accountant's office, has been ill for some time, and her condition is still considered serious. Her many friends will hope for her early restoration to health.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were R. W. Powell, Goldsboro; J. B. Clark, Elizabethtown; C. B. Barnett and K. W. Fite, Huntersville, N. C.; B. F. Lekew, W. S. Davis and B. St. George, of Southport.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Southern Hotel were D. M. Thompson, Whiteville; T. G. Hester, Raleigh; O. F. Justice, Snead's Ferry; A. J. Yopp, Reidsville; S. V. Laughlin, Grifton, N. C.; E. T. White, Norfolk, Va.

—Rev. Dr. Bryon Clark, of Salisbury, was in the city yesterday on his way home from Lake Waccamaw, where he spent his vacation of a few weeks very pleasantly. Dr. Clark is a brother of Hon. O. L. Clark, of Clarkton.

—Councilman B. C. Moore, in charge of the Department of Public Safety, is expected to return today from a visit to several cities in Virginia, where he went to inspect incinerators in operation there with a view of gathering information to be used by the Council in selecting the type of incinerator the city and county proposes to buy. While away Councilman Moore visited Philadelphia.

—Report from the James Walker Memorial Hospital yesterday was to the effect that there had been no perceptible change in the condition of Adjutant General R. L. Leinster, of the North Carolina National Guard, who was stricken with paralysis in his room at The Orton Hotel Friday morning and removed to the hospital Saturday at noon. His many friends hope that his recovery will be speedy and permanent.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were John P. Hall, Fayetteville; W. M. Gallant, Charlotte; Mrs. T. F. Capehart, Monroe; Yorke Houston, Misses Mary M. Heath, Mabel Smith, Jamie Phifer, Mary Hudson, Monroe; Mrs. J. D. Sessoms, Faison; Geo. S. Lee and family, Monroe; T. A. McNeill, Lumberton; E. M. Toon, Whiteville; Misses Gussie and Emma Cashwell, Fayetteville; L. C. Arthur, Greenville; N. T. Brown, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Prince, Master Marshall Prince, Laurinburg; Misses Mary Malloy and Marie Covington, Laurinburg; Geo. R. Wood, Wallace; T. A. Lyon, Fayetteville.

LOCAL DOTS.

—William Jacobs, white, was tried yesterday before Justice Bornemann on a charge of assaulting P. P. Pearce, and was taxed the costs. The men, who are said to be employes of the Bellwill cotton mills, got into a controversy over some clothes.

SCHREITER SQUEALED.

Clerk of Common Council Confessed on Detroit Bribe Takers.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 12.—All doubt that the alleged confession of Edward Schreiter, clerk of the common council, was the basis for the 16 arrests made in the councilmanic "graft" cases last week, was removed this afternoon when Prosecuting Attorney Hugh Shepperd, in an interview, told the details of Schreiter's confession. Schreiter was then taken before Police Justice Jeffries to assist in making out warrants against the 16 aldermen arrested last Friday and two additional members of the common council, making 18 in all who will appear in court on a charge for examination, some on a charge of accepting a bribe and others on a charge of promising to accept a bribe. Schreiter said his aged mother led him to confess. "Schreiter made a complete and detailed confession of all the deals that he said he had been in," said the prosecutor.

"He told me that he wanted to help clean up the city. I figured he could help us greatly, but I promised him nothing. The confession takes up more than 100 pages, the details of which cannot be given out now. The city will be startled when the disclosures are made."

Schreiter, who is secretary of the American League of Municipalities, is charged by the operative of Detective William J. Burns with being the leader in the alleged bribery arrangements made with the Wabash Railroad for street rights in the city of Detroit, which resulted in the first aldermanic arrests being made several days ago. Schreiter was arrested at the time and is now at liberty on bail.

ECZEMA ALL OVER BODY.

Extract from letter of a prominent citizen in Maine who suffered torment with eczema all over his body.

"I tried every thing, consulted physicians, specialists, and was about discouraged until I began using Hokara. My doctor said it would be phenomenal if Hokara cured me. A few applications quickly relieved, and in a short time Hokara worked a wonderful cure of my trouble." (Name on request).

If you have any skin trouble, why not get a jar of Hokara today and see how quickly it effects a cure?

Guaranteed by J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., local agents.

Liberal jar 25c, larger sizes, 50c and $1.00.

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Mr. Banks Williamson, of Graham, N. C., is the guest of Mr. J. Walter Williamson, at his cottage.

Miss Cecile Ramsey returned Sunday to her home at Greenville, S. C., after a pleasant sojourn of some days at the resort.

Sunday's Augusta, Ga., Chronicle: "Miss Marian Yopp and Mr. Oswood Yopp left Saturday for Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach, N. C., for a week's visit."

L. Clayton Grant, Esq., and family, of Wilmington, are spending some time at the Oceanic Hotel. Miss Mabel Stanley, of Goldsboro, is a member of the party.

Mr. S. L. Buck, of Macon, Ga., and a party of friends were out fishing from the Seashore Hotel yesterday morning in the launch Louise, and reported a fine catch.

Mr. L. T. Dupree, of Marietta, Ga., and a party of friends, were out fishing in the sharpie Virgia May yesterday morning. They returned about noon with a fine string of fish.

Miss Kate Montgomery, of Marion, S. C., arrived Sunday to spend some time at the Seashore Hotel. She is an attractive and popular young lady and has visited the beach a number of times.

Mrs. L. L. Ardrey, Miss Isabel Ardrey, Charlotte; Mrs. B. I. Durham, J. H. Moore, Burgaw; John A. Ferrell, Raleigh; R. M. Brander, Richmond, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Seashore Hotel.

A souvenir dance will be given at Lumina Wednesday night in honor of the County Commissioners' Convention, which meets here this week. The ball room at Lumina will be decorated for the occasion.

Mr. J. B. Fountain, of the Atlantic Coast Line; Mr. J. L. Fennell and friends went out yesterday morning from the Oceanic Hotel in the launch Suwannee, Capt. Salter, and caught 327 fish, including a large number of trout.

Mrs. Jas. W. Morrow, Jr., and children and Miss Pet Evins and mother, Mrs. John Evins, of Atlanta, and Mr. Harvey Kearsey, of New York, who have been spending some time at the Oceanic Hotel, left Sunday for their homes.

Owing to the fact that the County Commissioners of North Carolina will be holding the first session of their annual convention in the ball room at that hour, the regular weekly children's dance will not be given at the Oceanic Hotel tomorrow morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Burnett and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Poole, of Birmingham, Ala., who arrived at the sound a few days ago in a big touring car, having made the entire trip in the machine, will leave today for Asheville. They have been guests at the Seashore Hotel, where they met a number of their friends from Birmingham.

Among the arrivals yesterday at the Oceanic Hotel were Townly Stevens, Monroe; F. G. Harper, Bogart, Ga.; W. A. Myman, Jr., Heyman, S. C.; W. N. Carroll, Washington; W. T. Martin, Benson; Miss Louise Carroll, Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Galloway and two children, Atlanta; H. A. May, Detroit; A. E. Kramer, New York.

Going out in the launch Susanna yesterday morning, Mr. W. H. Gibson, of Atlanta, a guest at the Oceanic Hotel, and a party of friends caught a large number of fish, including many sheephead, at one of the old blockade runner wrecks, east of the beach. The anglers who daily go out from the beach return with fine strings of sheephead now.

Sunday was one of the biggest days of the season in point of the number of people to visit the resort. In addition to the crowds in the hotels and cottages hundreds came down from the city to spend the day or a portion of it. The beach was fairly alive with bathers all Sunday afternoon and the concerts at Lumina, both afternoon and evening, were largely attended, the crowd being especially large at night. The noon concerts at the Seashore and Oceanic hotels were also largely attended and greatly enjoyed.

The concert at Lumina Sunday night with a special orchestra under the direction of Prof. Jno. F. Kneisel was probably the best concert so far this season. As previously announced every number on the programme was a familiar selection from the best operas. A feature of the evening concert was the "Evening Star" selection played as a 'cello solo by Mr. Freed. Mr. Freed received two encores, playing for his encores "The Rosary" and the lullaby from "Jocelyn." Mr. Freed is a very skilful performer on the 'cello.

The Hanover Inn had the following arrivals from a distance over Sunday, in addition to a large number from the city: R. E. Hayet, Savannah; C. T. Brayer., G. E. Fulford, Wrightsville, Ga.; J. B. Daniel, Atlanta; Mrs. T. T. Capehart, Miss Janie Phifer, Miss Mabel Smith, Miss Mary Hudson, Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Joiner, Atlanta; Miss Cora L. Hood, Miss Irene Hood, Miss Rita McMahon, Joseph Leppert and daughter, Atlanta; W. Howard Harris, Farmville, N. C.; G. A. Meacham, Wilson; Miss Mary M. Heath, Miss Maggie Houston, Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Raley, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stubbs, Cheraw, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. W. Lawrence, J. J. Ryan, Atlanta; Rev. O. W. Underhill, Raleigh.

Sunday's Atlanta Constitution: "Miss Lucile Shannon will return from Wrightsville this week."——Mr. and Mrs. John Moore Thomas and mother, Mrs. D. J. Hill, who have been at Wrightsville Beach for the past two weeks, will return today. Mr. and Mrs. Moore will move into their new home on Ponce de Leon avenue the 1st of September.——Mr. James B. Adams has returned from Wrightsville Beach. He acted as escort for a congenial party of young ladies and reports a most delightful trip. Among those who composed his party were Misses Gussie, Mae and Lorena Randall, and Misses Nona Brown, Kate Jones and Genie Ward, all of Atlanta.——Mrs. George R. Waddell has returned from a three weeks' stay at Wrightsville Beach."

Bringing about 300 persons from Atlanta and other points in Georgia, the widely advertised excursion over the Seaboard Air Line arrived in Wilmington about noon Sunday, and the visitors went through to Wrightsville Beach on special cars provided by the Tidewater Power Company. The hotels and boarding houses were already comfortably filled, but the excursion party is being well cared for at the resort. Many in the party had never visited Wrightsville Beach before, but there were a number who have been coming to the resort for several years. The party came under a special rate of $6 for the round trip with privilege of returning to Atlanta on regular trains any day this week. Most of them will stay until the time limit of their tickets expire, but a few returned yesterday and others will go today.

Mr. A. N. Barnett, a clever and experienced hotel clerk, has arrived from Atlanta and joined the popular corps of clerks at the Oceanic Hotel, succeeding Mr. Harry Dunn, who returns today to his home in Atlanta. Mr. Barnett was chief clerk at the Georgian Terrace in Atlanta and was prior to that time chief clerk at Hotel Colorado, Linwood Springs, Col., a famous resort, besides having been connected with a number of other hotels. He is not only a most capable hotel man, but of most pleasing personality and affable manner and although he has been at the hotel but two days has already made scores of friends. Mr. Dunn, whom Mr. Barnett succeeds, is also an experienced and capable hotel man, and was clerk at the Oceanic (then the Tarrymoore) two or three years ago. He has many warm friends in Wilmington and on the beach, who regret that he is not to remain until the close of the season.

The crowds continue to flock to Lumina to enjoy the fine solo work of Mrs. Frank Pearson at the Sunday concerts. Her growing popularity with the music loving public is shown by the increasing attendance at these concerts to hear this gifted singer. Each Sunday her audiences are larger than on the previous Sunday, and the concerts last Sunday afternoon and evening broke all records for size of attendance. When Mrs. Pearson made her appearance to sing every available seat within hearing distance was filled and the aisles and entrances were crowded as well. The large audience was so delighted with her singing that each of her programme numbers received a double encore. All of Mrs. Pearson's selections were sung in her usual splendid style, but probably the song that appealed most to her hearers was the Robin Hood selection "Oh, Promise Me," which she sang exquisitely. For encores she sang "Calcium Moon," a very pretty selection from the "Summer Widowers," and by request an old favorite, "Oh, Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms." Her song at the afternoon concert was "If All My Dreams Were Made of Gold I Would Give the World to You.", a new song from the pen of Geo. Christie. As an encore she sang "Mandelay", another selection from the "Summer Widowers," which song she repeated for her second encore.

Among the week-end arrivals at the Seashore Hotel were: H. E. Dennie, T. Norton, Philadelphia; A. N. Hull, Boston; H. C. Baggerly, Chicago; the Misses Morris, Raleigh; W. D. Gaston, Fayetteville; L. G. Scott, Longport, Pa.; F. L. Woodward, New York; G. S. Keys, San Francisco; G. W. Hatchman, W. M. G. Burk, Mullins, S. C.; C. M. Jones, L. V. Smith, Marion, S. C.; W. A. Griffin and family, Birmingham; R. W. Fite, Huntersville, N. C.; J. C. Ellerbe, Jr., Marion, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Chapman, Rocky Mount; Mr. and Mrs. M. Collier, Atlanta; Henry Broda, Birmingham; Mrs. A. H. Collier, Ray Aimand, Miss Marie Harriss, Miss Sudie Harris, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rodford, Atlanta; W. P. Mazley and family, Marietta, Ga.; Mrs. S. T. Guy, Miss Sophia Thrash, Atlanta; Frank D. Broadnax, Jacksonville, Fla.; J. L. Harris, Lexington, Ga.; J. C. Wheeler, Carlton, Ga.; W. C. Patman, Lexington, Ga.; W. D. Harris, Bowman, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Cooper, Montgomery, Ala.; C. C. Buchanan, Atlanta; Geo. E. Johnson, T. J. Johnson, Canton, Ga.; J. A. Teague, Atlanta; R. M. Taylor, Richmond; Thos. J. Southerland, W. J. Cocke, Atlanta; Mrs. T. D. Power, Miss Martha Houston, Miss Martha Taylor, Houston Power Opelika, Ala.; Miss Susan Simonton, Carrollton, Ga.; R. K. Webb, Charlotte; Paul Covington, Charleston, S. C.; H. O. Covington, Laurinburg; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pendleton, Miss Bertha Pendleton, Augusta; W. G. Rogers, Charlotte; Miss M. H. Rogers, Atlanta.

Week-end arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel were as follows: S. B. Fielding and son, S. B. Fielding, Jr., Macon, Ga.; E. G. Routzahn, Chicago; J. C. Careton, Atlanta; A. C. Choake, Charlotte; H. T. Clarke, Washington; Alex. O'Quinn, Atlanta; F. M. Royall, Clinton, N. C.; P. R. Camp, Franklin, Va.; P. H. Johnson, Monroe, N. C.; D. C. Carmichael, Charlotte; D. B. Gresham, traveling passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line; Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Miss Emma Johnson, Miss Tidwell, Miss Blackwood, Robt. Johnson, Maier Sfkoff, Ike Eplarn, Atlanta; W. A. Armstrong, Birmingham; T. D. Johnson, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright, Jackson, Ga.; B. F. Mopp, Birmingham; O. S. Hughes, J. E. Maddox, H. R. James, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jenkins, Miss Willie Thamburg, Mrs. Pope, M. R. Heap, C. D. Benson, Atlanta; Chas. Brazier, Macon, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thomas and child, L. M. Lyle, Mrs. F. C. South, Miss Marie South, Miss Berry Foster, W. T. Meador, Miss D. R. Thomas, Atlanta; Miss G. S. James, Hamlet; W. G. Johnson, R. A. Johnson, Atlanta; H. D. Moore, C. D. Moore, Miss Carolyn Smith, Jackson, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Moore, Mrs. J. M. Hewett and daughter, Atlanta; A. Gray Houser, Los Angeles, Cal.; J. A. Allen, T. M. Rogers, Biltmore, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Williams, Rocky Mount; W. L. Walker, A. T. Walker, R. B. Fuller, Atlanta; W. E. Chandler, Lutherville, Ga.; J. W. Carey, J. W. Cook, F. H. Smith, W. R. Hoyt, Jr., P. J. Smith and party, H. C. Glove, Abe Levi, Miss M. B. Jones, Norton, S. Thomas, C. E. Beems, Atlanta; J. C. Wallace, Rutledge; C. J. Davison, H. A. Davison, John A. McWharton, Miss Sarah Davison, Miss Ellen Davison, Woodville, Ga.; Mrs. C. D. Smith, Jackson, Ga.; O. J. Glasier, Cincinnati; W. L. Moore, J. W. Moore, William Moore, Miss Lena Hunter, Miss Bettie Hunter, Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Linden, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mickel, Chicago; A. P. Hester and son, Mrs. L. L. Beason and daughter, Miss Mary Chaffin, Walter Hester, Monroe, Ga.; Edward Ellis, S. R. Cook, H. F. Cook, E. S. Cook, Atlanta; Miss Margaret Ritch, Monroe, N. C.; J. W. Butler, Richmond; Jas. S. Lyell, Wilson, Miss.; J. W. Lyon, Hamlet.

CURE FOR HUNCHBACK

Johns Hopkins Physicians Perfecting Treatment for Potts' Disease.

Baltimore, August 12.—Physicians at Johns Hopkins are perfecting a new treatment for Potts disease, commonly known as hunchback, eliminating the old mechanical devices. Grafting of bone forms a conspicuous part. The operation is performed in a similar manner to that for the stiffening of the knee joint as was done recently by mortising the knee plate in one of the tendons of the leg into the joint, after the tough and fibrous tissue surrounding the bone had been removed, thus generating the necessary bone tissues. The fibrous tissues removed were preserved and returned to the upper and lower joints where a continuous bone was produced, thus obliterating the joints.

KITCHIN IN WEST.

Governor Enthusiastic Upon His Return from Campaign Tour.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 12.—Governor Kitchin returned today from a campaign trip into a number of the western counties of the State, where he says he addressed large and enthusiastic audiences in the interest of his campaign for the seat in the Senate now held by Senator Simmons. He says that he found a very gratifying growth of sentiment in favor of his candidacy wherever he went and that the conditions throughout the State are showing up very favorable to him, and that he is confident of winning in the November primary. "I expect," he said, "the tide which is now running in my favor to increase as the body of the people become interested in the campaign."

Indian Killed on Track.

Near Rochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it's that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. "It completely cured me, in a short time of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of grip," writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Tex., "and I regained 15 pounds in weight that I had lost." Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and $1.00. Trial bot-

"The Cross Roads."

The story of a Quaker and his wife and a crafty lawyer. At the Grand Theatre today. **

Souvenir Dance

Lumina tomorrow night. **

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OUR LOSS--YOUR GAIN

Cleaning up Prices are now placed on All Summer Articles. All this week will be "BARGAIN DAY."

Summer Dress Goods of all kinds, Mosquito Nets, Hammocks, Bath Suits, Porch Screens, Swings, Summer Underwear, Hose, Slippers, Oxfords, Barefoot Sandals, Canvas and Outing Shoes.

Ladies' and Misses', Men's and Boys' Hats, all kinds of Headwear for Children, must go, to make room for Fall Good

If you need any of these, you can get much for little money while they last.

NEW RAIN COATS—Just received, Men's, Ladies' and Children's, all new goods, of latest styles and Best Qualities.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—Large stock, made of Amoskeag Ginghams, splendid workmanship, perfect style, worth $1.00; selling this week for 50c.

Prettiest line of 25c Aprons to be seen in the city.

Matting of 30c value for 20c., by the roll.

All kinds of Housefurnishing Goods.

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BIG DEPARTMENT STORE.

210—212—214 NORTH FRONT STREET.

Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET VERY WEAK

Futher Sensational Break With Closing Prices 46 to 51 Points Lower Than Saturday's Closing Figures.

New York, Aug. 12.—Today's cotton market showed even greater weakness than had developed on the big decline of last week and there was a further sensational break in prices, with the close weak at a net loss of from 46 to 51 points, as compared with closing figures of Saturday.

The market opened weak at a decline of 10@26 points under liquidation by recent buyers for a reaction, and a renewal of pressure from local spot bears, who were encouraged by relatively easier cables, reports of good weather in the South, bearish weekly reviews of the crop outlook by some of the prominent Southern trade papers and claims that last week's break in raw material prices had checked the demand for cotton goods. There was a good deal of covering on a scale down, but no important support developed and the market showed no rallying power whatever until prices had shown a net loss of from 32 to 37 points. Around 11.51 for December there was covering enough to give the market rather a steadier tone and rallies of 6 or 7 points occurred from the lowest during the early afternoon, but there was no change in the general character of the news and no appearance of bull support. On the contrary, leading spot brokers appeared to have cotton for sale on the bulge and the market developed increased weakness later in the day under another wave of more or less general liquidation or bear pressure. October contracts broke to 11.29, while December sold at 11.36, or 51 points under the closing figures of Saturday and approximately 9.50 per bale from the high records established late in July. The close was at the lowest prices of the day.

Receipts, 3,179, against 652 last week and 4,765 last year. Today's receipts at Galveston, 2,667, against 4,424 last year; at New Orleans, 127, against 253 last year, and at Houston, 8,689, against 12,837 last year.

Spot, quiet. Middling uplands, 12.00; middling gulf, 12.25; sales, 422 bales.

Futures closed weak.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	11.55	11.60	11.30	11.31
Feb	.....	.....	.....	11.41
Mar	11.69	11.72	11.45	11.46
May	11.82	11.82	11.54	11.55
July	11.88	11.88	11.88	.....
Aug	11.40	11.50	11.25	11.15
Sept	11.55	11.56	11.23	11.16
Oct	11.63	11.65	11.29	11.31
Nov	11.61	.....	.....	11.32
Dec	11.63	11.69	11.36	11.38

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Easy, 12 11-16; net receipts, 2,667; gross receipts, 2,667; sales, 2,473; stock, 20,637; continent, 3,903; coastwise, 1,231.

New Orleans—Quiet and easy, 12⅛; net receipts, 127; gross receipts, 133; sales, 18; stock, 23,834; Great Britain, 2,000.

Mobile—Net receipts, 21; gross receipts, 21; stock, 2,005.

Savannah—Quiet, 12; net receipts, 257; gross receipts, 257; stock, 16,249; coastwise, 867.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 3,960.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 250.

Norfolk—Quiet, 12⅜; net receipts, 107; gross receipts, 107; sales, 185; stock, 13,455; coastwise, 548.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12¾; stock, 3,340.

New York—Quiet, 12; gross receipts, 797; sales, 422; stock, 118,127; continent, 100; coastwise, 389.

Boston—Quiet, 12; gross receipts, 353; stock, 5,107.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.25; stock, 708.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 3,179; Great Britain, 2,000; continent, 4,003; stock, 207,794.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 4,501; Great Britain, 2,000; continent, 4,550; Mexico, 48.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 11,864,306; Great Britain, 4,151,070; France 1,162,983; continent, 4,461,182; Japan, 512,196; Mexico, 9,200.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12⅜; net receipts, 8,689; gross receipts, 8,689; shipments, 6,800; sales, 2,285; stock, 21,177.

Augusta—Quiet, 12⅜; shipments, 19; sales, 135; stock, 19,290.

Memphis—Quiet, 12½; net receipts, 95; gross receipts, 160; shipments, 65; sales 25; stock, 8,458.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12⅝; net receipts, 101; gross receipts, 131; shipments, 30; stock, 4,812.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 616; gross receipts, 616; shipments, 107; stock, 22,511.

Little Rock—Steady, 12½; shipments, 27.

Total today—Net receipts, 9,501; gross receipts, 9,596; shipments, 7,048; sales, 2,445; stock, 79,765.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Aug. 12.—Flour, steady, with a fair jobbing trade.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Quiet.

Barley—Steady.

Wheat—Spot, firm. New red, 1.06½ c.i.f. track, and No. 2, red, 1.08¾ f.o.b. afloat to arrive. Futures, ¾c. net higher. September, 1.00¾; December, 1.00¼.

Corn—Spot, easy; export, 82c. f.o.b. afloat.

Oats—Spot, weak; standard white, 53c.; No. 2, nominal.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Strong.

Cut Meats—Firm.

Tallow—Firm.

Lard—Firm.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, nominal; refined, steady.

Potatoes—Steady; Southern, 1.25@3.25; Southern sweets, barrel, 2.00@3.25.

Cabbages—Easy; Southern, crate, 50c.

Freights—Firm. Cotton to Liverpool, per 100 pounds, 35c.

Coffee—Rio, No. 7, 14½. Futures, easy, September, 12.42; March, 12.63.

Butter—Barely steady.

Cheese—Firm.

Eggs—Firm.

Peanuts—Quiet; fancy hand-picked Virginia, 5¼@5½; Virginia shelled, No. 1 and No. 2, 3¾@3¾.

Cotton Seed Oil—Active, with prices weak, under liquidation by tired longs, induced by free offerings of crude, the break in cotton and local bear hammering. August closed 20 points lower and later months 7 to 13 points net lower. Sales, 20,900 barrels. August, 6.15@6.20; September, 6.25@6.27; October, 6.31@6.33; November, 6.17@6.18; December, 6.10@6.12. Prime crude, nominal; do. Summer, yellow, 6.12@6.23; do. Winter yellow, and Summer, white, 6.25@7.50.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Aug. 12.—Spot in limited demand; prices, 5 points lower. American middling fair, 7.61; good middling, 7.21; middling, 6.83; low middling, 6.50; good ordinary, 6.31; ordinary, 5.63. Sales, 5,000 bales, including 4,700 American. Receipts, 16,000, including 10,100 American. Futures opened easy and closed barely steady. August, 6.54½; August and September, 6.45½; September and October, 6.34; October and November, 6.28¼; November and December, 6.24; December and January, 6.23½; January and February, 6.23½; February and March, 6.25; March and April, 6.26; April and May, 6.26½; May and June, 6.27½; June and July, 6.26½; July and August, 6.26.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 12.—Money on call steady, at 2¾@3 per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 3½@3¾. Six months, 4¾@4¾. Prime mercantile paper, 5 to 5¼. Sterling exchange, easy, 4.8450 for sixty-day bills, 4.8720 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83¾.

RALLY IN WHEAT AT CLOSE

Decrease in Visible Supply Overturns Depressed Conditions—Strong Cash Demand—Other Grain Quotations.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Decrease in the visible supply of wheat, together with a strong cash demand brought about a late rally, overturning depressed conditions today. The market was steady, at the close, from a shade to ¼@⅜c. higher. Final trading left corn a shade to &@1c. higher; oats, ¼@⅜c. down, to ¼@⅜c. higher, and provisions varying from unchanged to a rise of 5 cents.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.02@1.05; No. 2, hard, 94½@96½.

Corn—No. 3, 74½@75½; No. 3, yellow, 76½@77.

Oats—No. 3, old, 32@32½; new, 31¼@31½; standard, old, 32½@33; new, 31¾@32¾.

Closing futures:

Wheat — Sept., 92⅜; Dec., 92⅝; May, 95⅞.

Corn—Sept., 69½@69⅝; Dec., 54¾@54⅞; May, 54½.

Oats—Sept., 31⅝; Dec., 32½@32⅝; May, 34⅝.

Pork—Sept., 17.85; Oct., 17.92½; Jan., 18.50.

Lard—Sept., 10.70; Oct., 10.80; Dec., 10.50@10.52½; Jan., 10.50.

Ribs—Sept., 10.67½; Oct., 10.67½; Jan., 9.82½.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Arrived.

Schr. Joseph P. Cooper, 288 tons, Hopkins, Black Tom, N. J., Mafflitt & Wood.

Str. Curlb, 2,080 tons, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Kolga (Ger.), 1,323 tons, Shields, Heide & Co.

Str. Gamma (Ger.), 1,433 tons, Hotoff, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Joseph P. Cooper, 288 tons, Hopkins, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Edward R. Baird, Jr., 238 tons, Colbourn, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Benjamin F. Poole, 1,099 tons, Williams, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Colbourn, Mafflitt & Wood.

Stephen G. Loud, 400 tons, Graham, Mafflitt & Wood; in distress.

Greenleaf Johnson, 322 tons, Longstreet, Mafflitt & Wood.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 12.

Atlantic Coast Line—2 casks spirits turpentine; 300 barrels rosin; 41 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Isabelle—3 casks spirits turpentine; 19 barrels rosin.

Str. Whitlock—15 casks spirits turpentine; 18 barrels rosin.

Total—20 casks spirits turpentine; 337 barrels rosin; 41 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON MARKETS

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at 38¾.

ROSIN—Firm, $6.20 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.10 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip; $4.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 50½; rosin, $5.20; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, $2.90 for hard, $4.40 for dip, $4.40 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	20
Rosin	337
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	41

Receipts same day last year, 48 casks spirits turpentine; 95 barrels rosin; 96 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—None; same day last year, one.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 12.)

CORN—Firm; $1.05 per bu.

PEAS—White, no sales. Mixed, $1.60.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 95c. per bu.

BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—Small, 10@11c.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 16c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 9c. per lb.; dry, 13 to 15c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17 to 18c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; 4½ to 5c. per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, very dull; grown, 35 to 40c. per head; chickens, Spring, 12½c to 30c. per head.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00@$3.00.

EGGS—Good demand, 20c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Aug. 10.

Market—Nothing doing.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 70@75c.; machine-picked, 65@70c.

Spanish—Prime hand picked, $1.00; machine picked, 95c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine picked, 80c.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 12.—Turpentine, easy. Rosin, quiet.

Savannah, Aug. 12.—Turpentine, firm, at 39. Sales, 838; receipts, 821; shipments, 418; stock, 38,808.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,387; receipts, 3,043; shipments, 3,581; stocks, 113,155. Quote: B, 6.30@6.45; D, 6.45; E, 6.52½@6.55; F, 6.52½@6.60; G, 6.52½@6.65; H, 6.60@6.70; I, 6.65@6.70; K, 6.80; M, 7.00@7.05; N, 7.30; W G, 7.50; W W, 7.70.

Charleston, Aug. 12.—Turpentine, 39¼@40¼.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 6.35; D, 6.45; E, 6.50; F, 6.57½; G, 6.62½; H, 6.65; I, 6.70; K, 6.80; M, 6.90; N, 7.15; W G, 7.45; W W, 7.85.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 12.—A very large business has been made in men's underwear and dress goods for Spring delivery. Cotton goods were quiet, during the day, in first hands, following the drop in cottons. Yarns rule quiet. An active trade is being done by jobbers and specialty houses.

The Trials of a Traveler.

"I am a traveling salesman," writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequaled. Only 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

SEVERAL STOCKS MAKE GAINS

High Level Attained in Early Part of Day—Louisville & Nashville and Coast Line Lead Other Railroads.

New York, Aug. 12.—The salient feature of today's stock market lay in the fact that extensive profit-taking failed to exercise more than a slight effect on the higher level attained in the earlier part of the day. Advances were general at the opening and these were extended before midday, with no decided reversal until the final hour, when selling of Reading, which had not participated appreciably in the rise, caused recessions from the best in most active issues.

Undoubtedly the promises contained in last week's highly favorable crop report was the most potent factor in today's further advance, even though the stocks that made largest gains were not those which derive greatest benefit from large cereal harvests. Canadian Pacific was the most prominent of the grain carriers with another high record, which was reflected in the strength of its subsidiaries. Of the better known grangers, St. Paul was strong, recovering a large part of its semi-annual dividend, but Louisville & Nashville and Atlantic Coast Line gained more than other standard railers. Report of an impending distribution to Louisville & Nashville shareholders, which would naturally redound to the advantage of Atlantic Coast Line, were again circulated.

United States Steel was most active of the industrials and, while it scored its best prices of the year, made no very substantial response to last Saturday's statement of unfilled tonnage, which was somewhat in excess of forecasts. Copper shares were in better demand, also those of allied concerns, including Smelting, while a number of miscellaneous issues made more or less material gains, including General Chemical, which rose 10 points.

Bonds were active, broad and irregular, with some inquiry for convertible issues. Total sales, par value, were $2,500,000. United States government bonds 4s declined ¼ per cent. on call. Total sales, 503,200 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	83¾
American Agricultural	58½
American Beet Sugar	71¼
American Can	41⅝
American Can, pfd	120
American Car and Foundry	60¼
American Cotton Oil	54
American Ice Securities	26½
American Linseed	14
American Locomotive	44½
Amer. Smelting and Ref	85½
Am. Smelting and Ref., pfd (ex. div.)	107
American Sugar Refining	127
American Tel. and Tel	145⅞
Amer. Tobacco	103½
Anaconda Mining Co	42
Atchison	103½
Atchison, pfd	102½
Atlantic Coast Line	146⅜
Baltimore and Ohio	108¼
Bethlehem Steel	38⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	92⅜
Canadian Pacific	279¼
Central Leather	28¼
Chesapeake and Ohio	81⅝
Chicago Great Western	17½
Chic., Mil. & St. P., (ex. div.)	107⅝
Chicago and North Western	142½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	31⅜
Consolidated Gas	148⅜
Corn Products	15¼
Delaware and Hudson	171¼
Denver and Rio Grande	20¼
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	37
Distillers' Securities	32⅝
Erie	35⅜
Erie, 1st pfd	54
Erie, 2nd pfd	43
General Electric	181⅝
Great Northern, pfd	142⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	43½
Illinois Central	131¼
Interborough-Met	20⅝
Interborough-Met., pfd	60⅛
International Harvester	123½
Inter-Marine, pfd	18¾
International Paper	16
International Pump	27
Kansas City Southern	26⅝
Laclede Gas	107
Lehigh Valley	172⅞
Louisville and Nashville	168⅞
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	153¼
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	28¾
Missouri Pacific	38¾
National Biscuit	135½
National Lead	59¼
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30⅜
New York Central	118¾
New York, Ont. and Western	32½
Norfolk and Western	118¾
Northern Pacific	131
North American	82⅜
Pacific Mail	31⅜
Pennsylvania	124
People's Gas	117⅜
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	109½
Pittsburg Coal	23⅜
Pressed Steel Car	37¼
Pullman Palace Car	164½
Reading	172
Republic Iron and Steel	27⅜
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	89¼
Rock Island Co	26⅞
Rock Island Co., pfd	52⅝
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	35½
Seaboard Air Line	23½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	53¾
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	57⅝
Southern Pacific	113
Southern Railway	29⅞
Southern Railway, pfd	79⅞
Tennessee Copper	42
Texas and Pacific	22½
Union Pacific	173⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	90½
United States Realty	83⅜
United States Rubber	51⅜
United States Steel	72⅜
United States Steel, pfd	112⅜
Utah Copper	62½
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	48
Wabash	4⅝
Wabash, pfd	14⅜
Western Maryland	56
Western Union	81⅜
Westinghouse Electric	87¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	5½

SHOT TO PROTECT HONOR

Mrs. J. R. Allen, of Nashville, Tenn., Killed William Shoffer

Nashville, Tenn., August 12.—Shooting, she claims to have been protecting her honor, Mrs. J. R. Allen, a widow, 22 years old, today killed William Shoffer, a few years her senior, in the hall of her home. Immediately afterward Mrs. Allen surrendered and was admitted to $10,000 bail.

A few days ago Mrs. Allen claims, Shoffer violently assaulted her. Subsequently, he demanded that they be married. Mrs. Allen says she refused. Today, she says, Shoffer telephoned to her, and declared that unless she would consent to a wedding he would kill her.

Mrs. Allen armed herself and when Shoffer came into her home she fired.

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The Southern National Bank

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Aug. 13, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 77 degrees; at 8 P. M., 81 degrees; maximum, 92 degrees; minimum, 73 degrees; mean, 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month to date, .17.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 2 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Port Calendar—Aug. 13.

Sun rises	5:32 A. M.
Sun sets	7:01 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 29 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	10:05	10:35	4:52	5:10
Southport	7:57	8:22	1:55	2:00
Masonboro Inlet	7:28	7:53	1:26	1:37

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

Aug. 12, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	96	76	.0
Asheville	clear	84	58	.0
Atlanta	pt cldy	86	66	.0
Augusta	clear	90	70	.0
Birmingham	pt cldy	88	66	.0
Boston	clear	88	70	.0
Charleston	clear	90	76	.0
Charlotte	clear	88	68	.0
Chicago	pt cldy	80	62	.0
Galveston	clear	88	82	.0
Jacksonville	pt cldy	92	76	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	86	70	.0
Mobile	cloudy	90	72	.10
Montgomery	cloudy	90	68	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	90	78	.0
New York	pt cldy	82	70	.0
Oklahoma	clear	90	74	.0
Pittsburg	clear	82	64	.0
Raleigh	clear	94	70	.0
Savannah	clear	92	76	.0
Shreveport	clear	92	74	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	84	72	.46
Washington	clear	88	72	.0

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5. Your home merchants help make a good local market for everything you have to sell, and that market—more than any other factor—gives your land its present value.

6. Your home merchants are your good friends, ever ready to extend a helping hand in time of need.

7. If this community is good enough for you to live in and make your money in, 'tis good enough to spend it in.

8. The best citizens in this community are those who believe in and practice home patronage. Be one of the best.

9. The merchants in the distant city give you nothing valuable that the home merchants cannot give you—and the former cannot and will not do for you many things the latter do gladly.

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Wilmington to Niagara Falls, all rail—$35.85.

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Wilmington to Atlantic City, all rail $25.60.

Wilmington to Atlantic City, via Norfolk—$24.25.

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Lv. 8:45 A. M.	No. 53	Wilmington	Ar. 8:05 P. M. No. 52
Lv. 12:40 P. M.	No. 53	Fayetteville	Ar. 4:45 P. M. No. 52
Ar. 1:40 P. M.	No. 53	Sanford	Lv. 3:30 P. M. No. 52
Lv. 2:18 P. M.		Sanford	Ar. 3:20 P. M.
Ar. 4:45 P. M.		Greensboro	Lv. 12:50 P. M.

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PHONE 69.

SCHEPPS WILL BE HELD AS WITENESS

(Continued from Page One).

duct a sweeping investigation of police graft. Mr. Buckner, who is 33, was the choice of the anti-Tammany members of the committee and will resign his position as assistant district attorney September 1st.

Policemen Failed to Arrive

Hot Springs, Ark., August 12.—Representatives of the New York police department failed to arrive here tonight to attempt to take into custody Sam Schepps, held in connection with the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler. The next train is due tomorrow morning. Advices received by the local authorities indicate that representatives of both District Attorney Whitman's office and of the police are en route to Hot Springs for Schepps. Schepps technically is a Federal prisoner, the arrest having been made by Fred Johnson, postmaster, who is a deputy United States marshal. Johnson has indicated his willingness to turn over the prisoner to Whitman's representatives rather than to the police agents.

"Do not believe all that you read in the newspapers about me. I have probably talked too much, but I have not said one-half of what has been printed," said Sam Schepps tonight.

The prisoner received a telegram today from his lawyer in New York urging him to maintain silence. This message apparently has had its effect and he has had little to say.

No formal charge hangs over Schepps in Arkansas. He submitted to arrest and detention on the information of officers who represented to him that they must hold him for the New York authorities.

Yesterday the prisoner said he was going to tell his entire story to District Attorney Whitman and so announced and authorized that the district attorney be notified of his intention; but that was yesterday. Today has been one of impatient waiting and it is apparent Schepps fears representatives of the New York police department may be on the scene before representatives of the district attorney. That Schepps does not want to be turned over to the police authorities is evident.

It seems certain Schepps will fight any one of the New York police who make an effort to take possession of him. He has been under a constant guard since his arrest.

When an Associated Press representative was admitted to the rooms at the hotel where he is detained and asked if he was Schepps, he replied: "I wish to God I was any one or anything else."

"Are you willing to give any information, in answer to brief questions, as to any of the grafting charges made by New York gamblers against the police department?"

"That would involve others; no, I can say nothing."

Further than that he refused to talk.

STEAMER HITS BERG.

Allan Liner, With 300 Aboard, Hits Ice—Proceeds on Voyage.

Montreal, Can., Aug. 12.—The Allan Line steamer Corsican, which sailed from Montreal last Friday with 200 passengers, bound for Liverpool, struck an iceberg east of Belle Isle, near New Foundland, late this afternoon, but apparently sustained no serious damage. The wireless message with which Captain Cook, of the Corsican reported the accident to Allan Line offices here tonight, read:

"Corsican struck an iceberg this afternoon at 4 o'clock, while going very slow. Stem injured above water line. Ship is making no water. Will proceed on voyage."

There were reports early in the evening that the steamers Lake Champlain and the Scandinavian were proceeding to the assistance of the Corsican, but this was declared at the Allan Line offices to be incorrect. It was said that the Corsican was not in need of assistance. The Corsican is one of the newest and largest of the Allan Line steamers. It was built at Glasgow five years ago, and is 11,419 tons register.

The exact position of the Corsican when she struck the iceberg is not stated, but it is believed to have been 100 miles east of Belle Isle. The Signal Service at Belle Isle reports that a dense fog prevailed this evening, and this probably was the cause of the accident.

The Corsican carried 25 first-class and 62 second-class, besides 200 steerage passengers.

NO GOOD ROADS MONEY.

Overman's Amendment to Postoffice Bill Defeated.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—Senator Overman's Good Roads amendment to the Postoffice bill, to appropriate $250,000 for highway work in each State, to be available when a State appropriated a like amount, was defeated today.

The Shackelford Good Roads feature of the bill adopted in the House would give general aid to the maintenance of all roads used for public purposes.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Bandits who worked in street cars here early today got more than $2,000 for their reward, then escaped. A. C. Thum, a North Side cigar dealer, contributed most to the industrious robbers. He was compelled to give up $1,500 in cash and jewelry worth $500.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bijou—Don't Cry.
Clyde S. S. Co.—Sailings.
Bank of Horry—Bankrupt Sale.
Clarendon Column Co.—Without a Fault.
American National Bank—The Safe Way.
Hanover Realty Co.—Raking in the Dollars.
American National Bank—Parent and Teacher.
Fidelity Investment & Development Co.—Sunnyside Park.
St. John's Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M.—Monthly Communication.

Business Locals.

Lost—Watch Fob.
For Rent—Store.
Lost—Gold Ring.
Wanted—Position as Clerk.
For Rent—Furnished Rooms.
For Sale—Established Business.
O. G. Gulley—Thirty Carpenters.
Married Couple—Rooms and Board Wanted.
Wanted—Position by Stenographer and Bookkeeper.

LEAF TOBACCO SALES

Statistics for the Month—Gang of Thieves—Revenuers

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 12.—Of all the towns in North Carolina that figure as leaf tobacco markets during the tobacco year there were only two that had sales of tobacco during the month of July, according to report just issued from the State Department of Agriculture. These towns were Fairmont and Fairbluff. The former had first-hand sales aggregating 675,218 and total sales of 722,350 pounds. Fairbluff also sold 463,686 first-hand and 572,120 total sales. During the height of the tobacco seaon there are 45 or 50 markets that report sales.

After weeks of investigation the Raleigh police have arrested three negro men and two negro women charged with being members of an organized gang of thieves stealing from the freight cars of the Seaboard Air Line on the Johnston street freight yards. The police believe that there are many more members of the band. The negroes get the stuff and sell it to corner grocers and others for cash. The work of running down the thieves is made more difficulty by the evident fact that negro brakemen, firemen and others in the employ of the Seaboard are members of the gang and that the pay system of the Seaboard includes "The Grab" as it is called—a store where employes can buy supplies and have the amount taken from their pay envelopes. Numbers of the negroes go to the store during the month, buy sugar, cigars or other supplies and take them to some small merchant and sell at a sacrifice for cash to get an advance on their pay envelope. The police believe that qauntities of articles that are sold as having been gotten from "The Grab" are really stolen goods and yet there seems no chance to prove it and no way to prosecute the merchants for buying the supplies offered at sacrifice as being from "The Grab."

Deputy revenue collectors hereabouts have received the official notice from the Department at Washington that all funds for incidental expenses for raiding blockade stills is cut off until further notice so that the deputy collectors will confine their work to collecting license taxes and other internal revenue in their divisions. There will be no further raiding for some time to come. In the meantime, revenue officers believe that blockading has fallen off considerably in spite of the calling off of raids on account of dry weather and high price of corn and meal. Other officers are saying that the suspension of raids means that blockading will be in full swing soon turning out "campaign liquor."

WILSON'S FINANCIAL SCHEME

Nominee Favors More Comprehensive Plan—Rep. Sherley Calls

Seagirt, N. J., August 12.—Governor Woodrow Wilson expressed himself tonight in favor of a more comprehensive scheme to handle the business and finance of the United States government. With Representative Swager Sherley, of Kentucky, the Governor talked for over an hour today on the possibility of adopting the budget system of financing the Federal government.

"Mr. Sherley and I," said the Governor tonight, "discussed an idea on systematizing income and expenditure. It is a matter I have been interested in ever since I was a youngster. Things were different then, however. There were the Committee on Ways and Means for supplies and the Committee on Appropriations to regulate expenditures. Nowadays we have the Military Committee taking care of the army appropriation bill, the Naval Committee looks after the Naval Appropriation bill and the Agricultural Committee the Agricultural bill, so that we have no place or authority where the various items might be systematized and we never know how much is spent by Congress till it adjourns."

The Governor gave no further details of the plan suggested to him by Mr. Sherley.

"Every Congress appropriates a thousand million dollars, but we never know what the appropriations amount to until Congress has adjourned," said Mr. Sherley, after leaving the Governor's cottage. "I found Governor Wilson a sympathetic listener to the plan I have in mind. We are less scientific in the United States than any other government in dealing with our annual budget."

Joseph E. Davis, secretary of the National Committee, who has been designated to take charge of the Western headquarters, mapped out plans with Governor Wilson today for the opening of offices in Chicago.

A string of callers visited the Summer capital today.

Tonight Josephus Daniels, of North Carolina, chairman of the publicity committee of the campaign committee, talked with the Governor on details of the campaign.

Governor Wilson announced tonight that on Thursday he would attend the Farmers' picnic at Washington Park, Gloucester, N. J., where it is expected that farmers from Pennsylvania, Delaware and New Jersey will gather. The Governor assured John M. Bogart and John A. O'Brien, officers of the Woodrow Wilson Workmen's Club of New York, that he would attend a dollar dinner to be given by them at an Eastside cafe in New York early in September.

TYPESETTERS IN CONVENTION.

President James M. Lynch Presides—Woman's Auxiliary Meets.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 12.—The 58th annual convention of the International Typographical Union began here today. President James M. Lynch presided. The Woman's Auxiliary also is in session.

Address of welcome and responses, with the appointment of several committees occupied the initial session of the convention. There will be no election of officers at this meeting. New York, Nashville, San Antonio and Motreal seek the next convention.

Thomasville, Ga., August 12.—M. V. Yates, an automobile dealer who was arrested several days ago on the charge of drugging his brother after an automobile drive and robbing him of a $1,000 diamond ring, today made a full confession, according to the police. Other charges of robberies, in which "knockout" drops were used, have been made against Yates.

ED. R. M'INTYRE MAN WANTED

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has been much excitement created in Thomasville today over the report in the morning papers, involving a prominent business man of Thomasville in the investigation of the sending of an infernal machine to a young lady of High Point. It is vigorously denied on the streets of Thomasville that any one from this point is guilty of this crime. This correspondent learns from reliable sources this morning that the man under suspicion is not a man from Thomasville, but is a business man of High Point, who left that town Saturday night, his whereabouts not being known at this time.

The Southern Express agent here, Mr. Sam Grimes, has been sworn to secrecy in the matter and consequently it is impossible to get any direct evidence from him, but it is stated here from other and reliable sources that, on the day the package was delivered to the express office, the person sending the package did not appear in person at the office, but the package was left in a sack at the door of the office and an unsigned note requesting that it be sent to High Point, express prepaid, there being a $1 bill enclosed in the note.

The package was sent as requested and four days later it is reported that a man drove up to the agent and inquired if the package was sent. Upon being told that it was and that there was some change at the office for him, as the charge was not as much as $1. he left, saying that he would return and get it, but did not come back. It is said that the agent could identify this man if seen again.

This person was not a man from Thomasville, but was an utter stranger here. The general belief here is that his home is in High Point and that the report that a Thomasville man is involved is a decoy on the part of those working on the case.

N. C. PROGRESSIVES.

Roosevelt Campaign to be Waged Separately in This State.

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 12.—State headquarters for the new Roosevelt Progressive party were opened here this morning with National Committeeman James N. Williamson, of Burlington, and Col. W. S. Pearson, of Charlotte, in charge. It was announced that a vigorous campaign in the State would be waged and directed from these offices. Col. Pearson was here yesterday, just back from the Chicago convention and he talked at length of the plans of Roosevelt. Col. Pearson went to Charlotte last night to confer with Mecklenburg Progressives but will return here this afternoon.

Col. Pearson, in an interview last night stated that he came home authorized to state that Col. Roosevelt would make a speaking trip across the State during September or October, as promised by Col. Roosevelt in his Greensboro speech during the campaign for the nomination. At that time Roosevelt said that should he be a candidate for President he was coming into North Carolina and the South and make a fight for its electoral vote. It is recalled that in that speech Col. Roosevelt expressed the belief that it was solely the name "Republican" which held Southerners away from him. With the elimination of that name he declared a belief that the South was for him.

Col. Pearson declared that the new party had no disposition to interfere with the political or other rights of anyone in North Carolina. One of his first moves will be the calling together of the State committee of the new party for a meeting here during the week, the purpose being to issue the call for the first convention of the new party in this State. This convention it is believed will nominate electors only. The action of the Charlotte convention will determine whether or not a State ticket shall be put out.

Col. Pearson's statement of his plan of campaign has somewhat muddied the already murky waters in Republican politics of the State. No more anomalous situation has perhaps ever been known in this State. The idea has been that Richmond Pearson and his Roosevelt followers would swoop down and capture the Charlotte convention, but Col. Pearson puts a new phase to the issue.

NONE FROM "BIG BUSINESS."

Congressman McKinley Examined About the Campaign of 1908.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Financial operations of the Republican Congressional committee were revealed today by Representative William McKinley, the committee's chairman. Mr. McKinley said in the 1908 campaign, he knew of no contributions accepted from "big business."

"The entire fund in 1908, amounted, I think, to about $60,000," said Mr. McKinley.

"Do you remember any individual contributions?" asked Senator Clapp. "None except my own, which was five or six or seven thousand dollars."

Mr. McKinley specifically denied that contributions were received from persons representing the steel corporation, the International Harvester Company, the American Tobacco Company or the Standard Oil Company.

Atlanta, Ga., August 12.—Missouri's "Houn' Dawg" song found an echo in Georgia today when the House repealed the State dog tax law by adopting the Senate bill providing for an ad valorem tax on canines. Such a tax, it is held, means no tax at all. The State has been receiving more than $100,000 yearly through the dog tax. Several hours were consumed in speechs on the bill although but two more legislative days of the session remain and the House calendar is crowded with bills awaiting consideration.

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SEVEN PUT TO DEATH.

Murderers Electrocuted at Sing Sing Prison Yesterday.

Ossining, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Seven murderers were electrocuted in Sing Sing prison this morning. This is the largest number of criminals to suffer the death penalty by electricity on any one day since the electric chair was adopted as a method of capital punishment. The six Italians and one negro executed this morning went to their deaths quietly. The warden's work was accomplished within an hour and 16 minutes.

The condemned were put to death in the following order: John W. Collins, Lorenzo L. Calli, Salvatore Demarco, Filepo Demarco, Angelo Giusto, Vicenso Cona and Joseph Ferrone.

Prison guards expected that Ferrone might put up a fight on his way to the execution chamber, but he walked meekly to the chair.

Cona fainted as the straps were being adjusted about the body. The cap was fixed quickly and the lethal current sent through his body.

All the prisoners, with the exception of Collins, walked into the death chamber protesting their innocence.

Collins came in smilingly and seemingly happy. He did not deny his guilt. He prayed on his knees at the chair for a minute before he was executed.

Guisto, Cona, Cali and the two Demarcos were convicted of the murder of Mrs. Mary Hall in a lonely farm house at Briffis Corner, in West Chester county, on November 9, 1911. Znaza, the sixth member of the band of assassins, was electrocuted July 8th, after he had confessed in a letter to Governor Dix that he had stabbed Mrs. Hall to death.

The others were convicted as participants in the crime. The men gained access to the house on the pretext of buying milk.

Vidalia, Ga., August 12.—Three little girls, who a few days ago were presented by Mrs. Charlie Almand, of this county to her husband, were named today in honor of the three daughters of Woodrow Wilson, Margaret, Eleanor and Jessie. The babies all are fat and healthy.

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